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Prince Henry Visits Washington's fomb.

Places Two Wieghs Within The day in the county prison. The drop Enclosure.

Dines With The President Thursday Evening.

Washington, Feb. 27 -The special rain bringing Prince Henry, his suite and the American escort from New York arrived here at nine o'clock this morning. The prince was met at the depot and, escorted by cavalry and police, was driven to the embassy crowd of several thousand people had gathered at the depot, but there was no cheering. At the German embassy a large crowd also had gathered. Prince Henry drove in an open carriage, nodding and smiling in recognition of the applause and returning each military salute. Assistant Secretary of State Hill sat beside him, with Captain Cowles, naval aide to President Roosevelt, on the other scat. On the threshold of the embassy the prince paused facing the long lines of troopers with saluting sabres, and the knots of ladies who had braved their way through the lines gave a sweeping bow as he turned and went inside. There were no formalities during the at noon attended the McKinley memorial services at the Capitol, and at their couclusion made a flying trip to pay tribute to the memory of the father of his country at Mt. Vernon.

Washington, Feb. 27 .- Instead of returning to the German embassy in the interim between the memorial service and the trip to Mt Vernon, Prince Henry took his mid-day luncheon in the room of the committee on military affairs. The luncheon was quite informal and partaken standing. At its conclusion Prince Henry and suite took a special train on the electric road for Mt. Vernon. Arriving there Prince Henry walked to the Washington house and was driven thence to the tomb. When the iron grate of the tomb was opened the prince removed this cap and entered. Two large wreaths, made in Washington on his order, had already been sent to the tomb. These were taken up and formally set in place. A group of more than one a linden tree. After the ceremony the prince was taken to the old Washington house where he met a delegation baby was born after Madame Tsilka and spent a few minutes looking at hours. the relics. He then departed for Washthe German embassy. This evening, accompanied by Ambassador Von Holleben he dined at the White House with President and Mrs. Roosevelt. The dinner was unofficial and of a personal family character. There were no formal toasts or exchanges.

HAS NOT ABANDONED HIS PRO-POSED TRIP.

Washington, Feb. 27.-The statement was made at the White House tonight that the president had not abandoned his proposed trip to

STORM DOES DAMAGE.

St. Angelo, Texas, Feb. 27 .-- A wind storm prevailed in this section all last night, and today reports from various sections show that a number of houses were blown over, stock killed and other damage done.

SOUTH WEST TEXAS HAS A SAND STORM.

far no serious damage has been done, saudth locomotive.

NEGRO HANGED.

For Murder of Professor White of Philadelphia-Makes a Confession, Which is Not Credited By Police.

Philadelphia, Feb. 27 .- Amos Stirling, a young negro, who was the accomplice of Henry Ivory and Charles Perry in the murder of Prof. Roy Wilson White of the law department of night of May 19, 1900, was hanged tofell at 10.07 o'clock.

Stirling made a confession to his spiritual adviser, claiming the sole re- From Dover to Portsmouth Via Piscatsponsibility for the murder of Professor White.

He said he did not know either Perry or Ivory and ascerted that neither of them was with him when the crime was committed.

His statement is not credited by the police authorities.

Professor White was attacked by three colored men on a dark street near the university.

One of his assailants struck him on the head with an iron bolt and after he had fallen to the ground he was beaten to death.

Robbery was the motive for the

Perry, Ivory and Stirling were arrested several days later and the two first named made contessions, accusing Stirling of being the actual mur-

The three men were convicted together and Ivory and Perry were executed Oct. 8 of last year.

The condition of Stirling's health caused four postponements of his execution.

UNCLE SAM WANTS THAT RAN-SOM REFUNDED.

morning. Prince Henry and his suite Steps to Be Taken to Obtain a Reimbursement of the \$72,000 Paid Brigands By Holding Turkey Re-

Prince Henry Visits Washington's Listood that the United States will route stating that the road known as In answer to Mr. Frink-I do not the road built, but as a public benefit shortly take steps to obtain a reim- the Rabbit road in Back River the consider the road an injury to the es- I think the road should be built. bursement of the sum (\$72,000) hald to the brigands as a ransom for Miss Ellen M. Store and Mme. Tsilka, holding Turkey responsible inasmuch as the capture of the missionaries was effected on Turkish soil.

> have serious developments, since Turthe blame on Bulgaria.

STARTED FOR CONSTANTINOPLE

Miss Stone and Her Companion Have Left Salonika.

Salonika, Roumelia, Feb. 27.-Miss Stone, accompanied by Mr. Garguilo, the dragoman of the American embacsy at Constantinople, left here today for Constantinople. She intends proach to the grave uncovered and to remain several weeks in Turkey that with the silence added to the so-land then return to the United States lemnity of the occasion. Fifty feet to visit her mother. During the capdown the sward that slopes away tivity of Miss Stone and Madame from the tomb Prince Henry planted Tsilka, the ladies suffered greatly from want of occupation, until Madame Tsilka's baby was born. The of the Mt. Vernon Ladies' association had been riding horse back for ten

REAR END COLLISION.

Florodora Theatrical Company in A Railroad Wreck.

Wilmington, Del., Feb. 27 .- A special train, containing the Florodora theatrical company from Norfolk to Wilmington. Del., on the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk railroad, was wrecked today at Eastville. Va., and several members of the company were zeriously injured. A dense fog prevailed and the engineer failed to observe a freight train ahead and a rear end collision occurred. The scenery and nearly all the baggage of the company was destroyed by fire The fireman of the special was badly scalded and will die.

GAVE A BANQUET.

Baldwin Locomotive Works Celebrates A Double Event.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 27.—The are three trains a day by steam cars side in Newington; came here, and Baldwin Locomotive Works tonight between Dover and Greenland; it cause I am interested in the remaining gave a banquet in celebration of a would be of great convenience to peo think it will benefit the people of We whole of south west Texas was the sary of the founding of the works and the street railway.

BAILROAD BEARING.

Board Of Commissioners in Seszion Here.

El ctric Railway.

aqua Bridge.

petition of the Portsmouth. Great Bay & Dover street railway opened at this morning at 10:45 o'clock before railroad commissioners Henry Putof Franklin and Francis C. Faulkner of Portsmouth and Dwight Hall appeared for the petitioners.

Hon. J. S. H. Frink of Portsmouth and John Kivel appeared for the Boston & Maine railroad. Thomas E Langdon appeared tor

Woodbury Langdon . The petition was read by Commis-

sioner Sanborn. Judge Emery said that the road

was in a bad condition over which they would have to pass to take a view of the route and as neither party desired to take a view of the route they would proceed without it.

Lawyer Frink stated that there would be no view unless some fact would develop that would require it. Ralph D. Hood was sworn and testified--Reside in Hampton; am a civil engineer, have made a plan of with the route over which the route over which the proposed route is built. through the land of John T. G. Tuttle will run close to his door. and A. W. Simpson, then to the road This question of responsibility may to the Woodbury Langdon property ways for some time; am familiar with key disclaims responsibility and lays about 2,300 feet long; the line ex- eral manager of the road; expect to mile of the track; two houses in the route of the proposed street rail- routes would be made to pay.

will cost \$80,000; a draw can be put Rochester. in the bridge that will give ample service; station of the steam cars in Newington is about a mile from the cluster of houses; street railway will run through the center of the town; railroads; am of the opinion that the electric railway will not interfere very | ternoon. much with travel on the steam cars street railway will accommodate a not be accommodated by the steam miles. cars; the road will be of great value as a connecting link between Dover,

Somersworth and Rochester and Exeter, Hampton and Ameabury street rallways; the road would be of great convenience to people in Greenland property. who wanted to come to Dover; there

midst of a sand storm today, but so the completion of its twenty thou- Cross examined by Lawyer Frink- run through here; I think that the

equipment which will make the road and the beach; there are not a great cost about \$235,000, including the cost of the bridge across the Piscataqua river; there is no navigation during river; a church, schoolhouse, and the winter; don't think a bridge there library are the only public buildings in the town of Newington; think the igation on the river. distance from Newington to Portsmouth would be about 41/2 miles There are eight trains on the steam around via Greenland; I think that road both ways, over the Porstmouth the farmers of Newington wold pat- & Dover railcad; go to Greenland ronize the road in going to Ports-| sometimes to attend meeting; go to the University of Pennsylvania, on the Maller Of Graning Permission For mouth; I don't think that the street the beach once in a while; the street & Maine railroad as it will not land the road runs within a quarter of a its passengers in the center of the city; the Newington people will patronize the street railway; expect that Dover, Feb. 28.—The hearing on the distance of 20% miles from Dover to land to Stratham; now we have to the superior court room in this city hours; think the route from this city only be four miles. by steam cars is about 18 miles; expect to carry the up country trade to ney of Manchester, E. B S. Sanborn Hampton beach; have never seen a town; there are a number of good great many people from Dover by house lots; should not think of going of Keene. Judge Samuel W. Emery the way of the Portsmouth electric to Greenland Parade; have to go on by the street railway will be 231/2 miles; the distance is a trifle longer than by the steam cars; the road will 400 in Newington. cost \$135,000 more than the capitaliza-

> Hampton beach. In answer to Judge Emery—The be the means of building up the town. steam cars do not accommodate the street railway would be for pleasure; there would be more frequent trains be convenient over the street railway; if I was going on a husiness trip to Exeter I would in Dover; I think the street railway go by steam cars; it people were in a would be of public good; I don't behurry to get to Excter and the steam lieve that the people of Dover know the Portsmouth & Dover street rail cars did not go they would take the that some of the finest scenery is way; have a large plan and a small street railway; should consider it a along his road: Goat island is a most one of the route; am well acquainted great help to the equipment of the beautiful place; there are numerous with the route over which the road E., H. & A. and the D. S & R., if this places along the road that are beau-

vise the closing up of the road dur-

line would leave the road and pass tate of Woodbury Langdon; the road

Franklin Woodman testified-Rein Madbury to the old Piscataqua side in Haverhill; am general mana built; I am willing to let the people bridge, across the river to Goat is ger of the E., H. & A. street railway; land, then across the river from there have been connected with street rall- people of Dover the benefit if they on Fox's Point; the bridge will be the D. S.& R street railway; am gen- would run the road in the winter. tends down through Newington to build the Portsmouth & Excter street deter some people from going there the Portsmouth and Exeter road in railway this summer; expect to have to establish a summer resort if the Greenland. The scale on the plan it completed July 4; it would be a great electric road was to be built. is four miles to the inch; there are convenience to the E. H. & A. and D. about 38 houses in Dover within a S. & R. street railways if the proposed road was built as the equipment Madbury; five in Durham and seven could be used at various places on the in Newington within a mile of the big days; should say that the protrack; the Newington depot is about posed line would increase business; a mile from the street railway route; should not say that the proposed road the route passes very close to the would be a rival of the steam road; Sawyer station of the P. & D. rail should say that the proposed route road; from Portsmouth to Dover over in connection with the other two

way the distance is 141/2 miles, over | Cross examined by Kivel-Have the P. & D. railmoad the distance is been superintendent of Dover, Somabout 12 miles; the length of the pro- ersworth and Rochester railway less posed railway is 10½ miles; the than a month; have never been over maxim of the grade will be seven per the route from this city to Piscataqua cent; this will be derived by cutting bridge; have not been over the route down grades; there are no steam from Newington to Greenland; know crossings on the line; think the run- of the use of the plows in a storm; ning time between Dover and Green- don't know that all the plows are land will be 45 minutes and ten min-needed here in a storm; I think the utes from Greenland into Portsmouth; proposed road would pay during the think the running time from Dover summer months; I do not know about to Hampton beach will be about two the conditions of the people of Devet; hours; a steel bridge will be put in I don't think that we would want o from across the Piscataqua bridge to close up business on the road in the Goat island to Newington; the bridge winter; have closed up the loop in

At this point a recess was taken until 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The hearing before the railroad commissioners on the petition of the have much experience with electric Portsmouth & Dover street railway was resumed at 1:40 o'clck this af-

Mr. Hood was recalled and testibetween Dover and Portsmouth; the fled regading the Exeter road; the 12 miles was between Exeter & Portslarge number of people that would mauth; the whole line will be 16

Cross examined by Lawver Frink-Have ordered the material for the

In answer to Mr Langdon-There will be 23 poles on Mr. Langdon's

Houston, Texas, Feb. 27.-The double event: The seventieth anniver ple in Stratham to come to Dover by ington; Great Bay is a beautiful place and would be built up if a road was It will cost about \$15,000 a mile for street railway would be a great com-

the construction of the road without venience to us in going to Greenland number of vessels which go up the would be of any disadvantage to nav-

Cross examined by Lawyer Frinkrailway goes near the Greenland bay mile of the bay; the road goes about a mile from Cyrus Frinks'.

Frederick Pickering testified-Rethe proposed road will have its busi- side in Newington; should like to ness increased from traffic of the D. have the road very much; think the S. & R. railway; it is 10% miles from road would be of great benefit to the Dover to Greenland; from Greenland town; the road would be a great acto Excter is ten miles which makes a commodation in going from Green-Exeter; we expet to make the trip go by the D. & P. railroad which is from Dover to Exeter in less than two ten miles; by street railroad it would

Cross examined by Lawyer Frink-I think the road would build up the railway to Hampton beach, the dis- the Concord railroad quite often and tance from Dover to Hampton beach it would be convenient to go on the street rail: oad to take take the steam cars; there is a population of about

Cyrus Frink testified-Reside In tion of the company; should not ad- Newington; desire to have the new railroad built, think it would be of ing the winter between Dover and great public benefit; I should use the road if it was built; I think it would

Cross examined by Lawyer Frinksame people the proposed street rail- Could build on the plains; have been way will; should expect that the two houses built there; if I wanted greater part of the travel over the to go to Boston I would take the electric and go to Greenland which would

Elisha R. Brown testified-Reside tiful; personally I don't care to have

Cross examined by Lawyer Frinkthink that many people would go down there if the road was to be build the road down there to give the want to; I should doubt if they

In answer to Mr. Langdon-It might

ADVANCE SPRING FASHIONS.

The early blouses made in wash naterials for this spring are in pique. crash, drilling and the heavier cotton and linen fabrics, in white and colors.

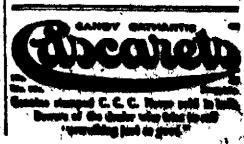
course only for this purpose-is poplin. It comes in a lovely line of colorings, and with its rather heavy cords does no require much trimming beyond plaits.

A new material for blouses-new of

The use of ribbon as a trimming and a garniture for all kinds of gowns seems to have taken a new lease of life, and it is introduced in one way or another upon countless gowns and bodices.

Homespun, which was so popular during the past season, will be much more worn this spring. It is particularly nice material, being light in weight and shedding the dust easily, besides having most excellent "staying qualities." The new weaves show a glossiness of surface new in home-

For softness of tone the new colors have never been surpassed. Ecru. ranging from the palest biscuit shade. bids fair to be more fashionable than ever, which is high praise indeed. In cloth materials this coloring will make up into the smartest possible kind of tallor suits. Really, after black, there is nothing one can wear in so many different ways with so many kinds of blouses, hats, etc., as the vearying shades of tan, ecru and biscuit.-Mrs. Raiston, in the March Ladies' Hôme Journal.



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er's New Yacht Described by a Yachting Expert.

WILT HERE TO BEAT THE BRITISH

Serman Emperor's Reasons For Flacing His Order In the United States Explained by Duncan Curry. Plenty of Room on Board For Royal Guests.

From a yachtsman's standpoint the kaiser's new yacht, recently launched at Shooter's island, near New York, is a wonder in her way and is the largest salling yacht ever constructed in an American shipyard, writes Duncan Curry, the yachting expert, in the New York Journal. She is only exceeded in tize by the English schooner Gleniffer. owned by James Coats of Scotland. Many people have wondered why the German emperor had his boat built in America, and many believe he had her built for political reasons.

While this may be true of Prince Henry's visit and the selection of the president's daughter to christen the boat, they had nothing to do with his original order to build the boat, which was simply due to the fact that he knew he could get a far better boat of this type built here than in either Ger-

many or England. In 1889 A. Cary Smith, one of the best of our naval architects, designed a steel keel schooner for Chester W. Chapin of New York city, which was called the Yampa. She was a wonderful boat in her way, and when she was afterward sold to R. Suydam Palmer he visited Germany in her at the opening of the Kiel canal. There she fell under the eye of the kaiser. He admired her beautiful lines and wonderful seaworthy qualities which, by the way, are features of all boats designed by Cary Smith and immediately opened negotiations for her purchase.

When the emperor finally purchased the yacht, he immediately renamed her the Iduna and presented her to the Empress Frederica, and she has been used as a sort of royal training ship for the imperial family.

Within the past two or three years there has been a big revival of schooner racing in England, where some big two stickers have been built, notably the Gleniffer and Rainbow, which, while of huge size, have not been able to get out of their own way when it came to racing.

The German emperor, who is a great believer in ocean races, last spring decided to build a schooner to meet the new English boats, and, with a view of finding out what was latest and best In the two sticker line, he sent the head mayal constructor of the imperial German navy and two of his aids to America to look over the ground. After visiting Herreshoffs and all of the best naval erchitects in this country they decided that they could not do better than place an order with the designer of the Iduna. And so it came about that Cary Smith got the order to design the new royal yacht, which he in turn had built at Townsend & Downey's yard at Shooter's island.

The yacht is built of steel, with lead deck and bronze furnishings. The main saloon is amidship and occupies the entire width of the vessel. It is twen ty feet long, and there will be broad divans along the sides, to say nothing of an open fireplace, a piano and a music room. The dining table will seat twenty-four persons. Aft of the saloon is the emperor's stateroom, which will be furnished with a silver bedstead, a desk and a wardrobe. Adjoining the kaiser's room there are a bath and his valet's room.

These rooms are on the starboard side. On the port side are three smaller statercoms for guests, and aft of these there are a vestibule and a stairway leading to a steel deckhouse, and in the extreme after portion of the yacht there is a woman's cabin, with a chartroom alongside of the steelhouse. Forward are the galley, forecastle and officers' quarters. The entire vacht is circled by a continuous air compartment. Captain Karpff and the Parker brothers, with a crew of twenty men, will take her to England as soon as she is rigged to have her interior fitted out. The new Meteor has an over all length of 160 feet, a waterline length of 120 feet; her beam is 27 feet, her draft 15 feet and her structural depth 18 feet. From the tip of her glant club topsail to her waterline she will tape

150 feet. The following table will show the spar dimensions of the new yacht:

Length from end of boom to tip of 195 5 Bowsprit outboard 24 **From fore Alle of foremast to for**ward point of measurement 71 Malament from deck to cap...... Main topmen fld to truck...... G Doublings 17
Mainmant deck to truck 122 Mainment Boom to topsail halvard

Main hoom 82 Fore boom

Collegic Ignration Now. The latest novelty in Paris is the cofsee eigenvite, made, not from the at his home at Brooklyn, lie was 47 of a hull, sound hear but from the leaf of the years old.

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digress of strength.

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PERJURY AND CHAFCINY Wakefold Is Guilty of Both Offenses and Makes a Plea For Linioncy

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 28,--William C. Wakefield, who was found guilty on Wednesday of perjury, pleaded guilty to the first count of the indictment for larceny found against him. The court postponed the sentence to consider the plea for lealency in sentence made by Wakefield's counsel, who asked for our sideration of the youth of the defendant, and the possibility of having been led into evil by others of more experience, He recommended that his ellent be sent to the Massachusetts reforma-

Wakefield's plea yesterday afternoon was made after he had retracted his former plea of not guilty. The first count of the larceny indictment alleges that Wakefield stole \$450 from Warren B Wiley in February, 1901. There are nine other counts charging larceny, but these charges will not be pressed by the district attorney.

Schley and Hobson at Charleston

Charleston, Feb. 28.-Yesterday was great day at the exposition for the Saughters of the American Revolution. Plaudits greeted Admiral Schley and Captain Hobson, both being the special guests of the D. A. R. Admiral Schley's address was a brief tribute to the D. A. R., and "those sweet grandmothers and greatgrandmothers who lived in the times of plainer living and higher thinking." Captain Hobson's theme was "The Ever Victorious Navy," and the applause for him was as prolonged is that which greeted Admiral Schley especially when he referred to the admiral's services at Santiago as "but the crowning incident in his splendid career in the American navy."

"Embalmed Beef" In France Paris, Feb. 28 .- In the course of the debate on the war budget in the chamber of deputies yesterday Deputy Chauvin called attention to the preserved meat furnished the army, which he asserted was often bad and had occasioned cases of poisoning. He asked for an inquiry into the conduct of the meat contractors who purchased American provisions in 1889, of which more than 2,000,000 francs' worth could not be eaten and had been destroyed.

Trusts to Be Prosecuted Les Angeles, Cal., Feb. 28-The Express says: Corporations in California

whose combined capital is close to \$1, 000,000,000, which are alleged to be operating in restraint of trade, contrary to the terms of the Sherman anti-trust law, are to be proceeded against by the government. Joseph H. Call, fed all attorney, has been instructed from Washington to institute the proposed new litigation.

Officers Need Pistol Practice

New York, Feb. 28 .- Police Officers Van Winkle and McGee saw a high wayman robbing a person last night They started after the tobber, who shot it them. They returned the the and Daniel B. Murphy teil, shot user the eye. Then they shot into a blind alley and Mrs Farley was shot in the ankle The highwayman escaped uninjured Murphy may lose his eyesight.

Mrs Hetherington Divorced Wilmington, Del, Feb. 28-11c su perior court yesterday granted Mrs Bessie II. Hetherington a divorce from her husband. Lieutenant J. H. Hetherington, U.S. N., on the ground of desertion. While the couple were in Japan the fleutenant shot and killed an Englishman who had been paying at-

tention to Mrs. Hetherington Doctor Didn't Keep Agreement Chicago, Feb. 28 .- The trial of Dr. Orville S. Burnett, charged with the munder of Mis. Charlotte Nicol, began here yesterday. The charge of murder is peculiar, in that it is based on the allegation that Mrs. Nicol died pursuant to an agreement between the doctor and herself, while his part of the

bargala was not kept.

Their Wedding Anniversary Berlin, Feb. 28.-Emperor William and the empress celebrated the 21st anniversary of their wedding yesterday with a large dinner at the Schless. at which members of the cabinet were present. Arthur Van Eweck of Milwaukee sung American songs after the

Tempting Offers to Miss Stone Salonica, Feb. 28.-Miss Stone has airendy received numerous literary offers, one of them being from an American magazine, which offers her \$35,-

000 and a royalty for six articles. NEWS IN BRIEF

Daniel H. Noonan, a laborer, agel 40, was urn over by a locomotive at Bangor, Me., and killed. His body was badly mangled. He was deaf and that is the supposed cause of the accident. The plant and business of the Driggs Seabury company of Derby, Conu., has been purchased by the American Ord-

syndicate the control of the manufacture of rapid:fixe ordnauce. At the annual meeting of the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, it was appounced that Eben D. Jordan would place a grand concert organ in fir new building at a cost of over \$12.

nance company. This purchase prac-

tically gives to the Hoadley-Cramp

The Wilton, N. II., Sovings bank will begin to pay a 10 percent dividend March 1. This will make a total of 90 tank steamer Luciline reports that on percent paid by the assignee of the in-

& Behman, theatrical managers, died ing of masts, spars, butwarks and part is losing ground daily.

prominent in Rhode Island, died at North Kingston, aged 87. He had been a member of the state legislature, the board of charities and corrections and president of the state board of agri-

IN MEMORY OF M'KINLEY!

Secretary Hay Pronounces Eulogy at the Capitol

PRINCE HENRY AN AUDITOR

Tribute to the Memory of Washing-President at White House Dinner

Washington, Feb. 28.-Prince Henry, eccompanied by Ambassador Von Holleben, dined at the White House last night with President and Mrs. Roosevelt. The dinner was entirely thofficial and of a personal family character, and owing to the McKinley exercises having made yesterday a day of mourning, there were no formal, toasts or exchanges. The purpose was to permit of a more intimate personal exchange than was possible during the formalities of official interchange last Monday. Others present at the dinner were General Von Plessen of the prince's staff, Miss Roosevelt, Miss Carew and Senator and Mrs. Lodge.

Yesterday in the hall of representatives, in the presence of President Roosevelt, Prince Hemy, the members of the cabinet, the justices of the supreme court, the general of army and officers of the army and navy who have received the thanks of congress, the ambassadors and other diplomatic representutives of foreign countries, the senators and representatives in congress and a large number of distinguished guests, Secretary of State Hay pronounced a eulogy upon President McKluley.

Four times before national memorial services for presidents who have died in office have been held in this hall, two of them, like this, in commemoration of chief magistrates who have fallen by the hand of assassins. George Bancroft pronounced the enlogy on Lincoln, and Blaine was Garfield's orator. It was cumently fitting that the last publie ceremonial of sorrow for the lamented McKinley should take place in the forum which had echoed his voice in the arena where he won his spurs.

By a strange coincidence this was the 20th anniversary of that on perfor court in this city. which James G. Blaine in the same hall delivered his culogy upon the martyred Garfield, and stranger still, the subject of this memorial service was the chairman of the committee that had charge of the arrangements on that occasion. Who then should have dreamed that the man who escorted the then President of the United States and the orator of the day to their places was destined to be honored, like Garfield, with the highest place in the gift of the country, was to meet his sad fate and was himself to be the next martyred president above whose open grave the nation would bow its head.

Only one year ago, less five days at the head of an imposing civic and military procession, McKinley passed triumphantly along Pennsylvama avenue for his second inaugural Six months later the tragedy occurred at Buffalo and another but different sort of procession bore his body through the streets to the rotunda of the Capitol, where the brief funeral oration was delivered over his coffin and the tributes of the nations of the earth about his bier bespoke the universal sorrow. Now once more with uncovered head the nation paid its last tribute of respect and publicly expressed its living

grief. Prince Henry Journeyed to Mount Vernon in the afternoon and visited the grave of Washington. When the iron grate of the tomb was opened. he removed his can and entered. Two large wreaths made by his order already had been sent to the tomb, and he formally set them in place. A group of more than 100 men that stood in the approach to the grave haved their heads, and that, with their silence, added to the spirit of solemnity.

Fifty feet down the sward that falls away from the tomb, Prince Henry planted a limben tree. The tree had been set in place prior to his arrival and taking a spade, the prince filled the earth in around its roots. The prince was taken to the old Washington house. where he spent a few minutes in looking at the Washington relics and then departed for Washington. Large crowds watched his arrival and departure, and his course through hispeople, who effected him cordinly. Many of the people of Alexandria mistook Lieutenant Commander Von Schwind for the prince and their error' led to an amusing incident. There is some general resemblance between the two and when the crowd singled out the young mival officer and cheered blin, the prince was delighted. The lleutenant commander was embarrassed by the enthusiastic attention of the crowd and would neither bow mor

salute in augmer to the cheers. It was 4:30 ofclock when Washington was reached on the return trip and the prince was driven at once to the German embaésy. 🗈

Passed Considerable Wreckage Philadelphia, Feb. 28.—The British Feb. 25, while 70 miles east of Naptucket, she passed a quantity of wreck-Lonis C. Behman, of the firm of Hyde | age covering about seven miles, consist. | the revolution against President Castro

> Twentieth Victim of Fire ** New York. Feb. 28 .- Mrs. Charlotte A. Bennett, who was in the Park in Florida. Refore leaving he wrete to Avenue libtel last Saturday, when the the United States Trust company, achotel equalit fire, flied yesterday. Her | cepting the formal tender of the presideath was due principally to shock and deacy of that company recently made makes the 20th as a result of the fire.

A DISCROWNED MIND Probably Responsible For Will Mus

der ca s Vermont Farm

Rutland, Vt., Feb. 28.-Mental de rangement apparently caused Aleck lkey, a prosperous farmer of Wells to kill his wife with an axe. No other explanation can be given for the deed by other members of the household. Yesterday afternoon, Ikey left his vife and son in the sitting room of the house, and went to the woodshed door. As it was locked he broke it in and, securing Later Makes a Flying Trip to Pay an axe, returned to the kitchen. Mrs. Ikey passed through this room and into the pantry. As she did so her husband ton and Ends the Day as Guest of struck her twice in the head; killing her nimost instantly. Then he went to the sitting room and awakened his sont who was asleep on the lounge, and told him what he had done.

The only remark which indicated mental trouble was one to the, effect that there were others on the place who would "get the same" The children notified Constable Mason, who went to the farmhouse. Ikey consented to go to Rutland without concern He vas placed in the county jall here last pight. He was asked later if he realized what he had done and said he did. He told a rambling story that his wife was trying to drive him away from home; that he had a sore on his leg which hurt and that when his wife touched him on the face the sore appeared there. He also said some one was trying to poison him. He had the idea that poison was placed in the bread. The story lkey told did not make clear any circum-

stances prior to the murder. The children, a son, aged 20 and daughter aged 23, say that their mother and father were a loving couple and ro disagreeable word had been exchanged at any time. A few minutes before the deed was committed there was no suggestion of it.

Best's Exceptions Overruled Salem, Mass., Feb. 28.-John C. Best. the convicted murderer, slept quietly at the jail last night, in blissful ignorance that the supreme court had overruled his exceptions, and that he must die in the electric chair for the murder of George E. Bailey at Saugus. Sheriff Johnson, when notified of the court's finding, decided not to tell the prisoner, preferring that his counsel, James II. Sisk, perform the unpleasant task. But as news rapidly circulates even in jails, it is probable he will have a bint of the decision before he sees Mr. Sisk. Best will probably be called for sentence at the next session of the su-

Advance In Insurance Rates

Boston, Feb. 28.-Fading into Ime with the recent edict of the insurance companies at their conference in New York, the Boston board of fire underwriters yesterday voted to advance the rates of fire lusurance in this city. It is expected that the New England insurance exchange will follow suit. Its jurisdiction covers the whole of New England, excepting New Hampshire, Providence, which, like this city, has it own local board of underwriters.

Not Slated For Cabinet Boston, Feb. 28 -- Collector Lyman, when questioned about the rumor that he will be selected to succeed John D. Long as secretary of the navy, replied that he is no candidate for any position and has no knowledge about the use of his name in connection with the cabinet portfolio, other than what he has obtained through the press. His present term as collector expires next April, but he is assured of reappointment for

A New England Champion

another period of four years.

Boston, Feb. 28.-Charles S. Schmidt won the billiard championship of New England last night in a 400-point march with William A. Paige at the Hub Billiard parlors, the score being 400 to 334. Schmidt throughout the maich proved himself to be the better player His long game was near perfection. Schmidt's highest run was 45. The big silver trophy went to the winner.

A Government Auction Sale Providence, Feb 28 .- For the first time in 10 years a government auction of articles seized at the treasury department was held at the custom house vesterday. The goods sold were furs. imported from Montreal and consigned to residents here. The seizures were made by a special agent from Boston. The furs brought very nearly the appraised value.

Many Exposed to Smallpox

Providence, Feb. 28.-Three cases of smallpox in the mills at Crompton and one in this city caused the health offitoric old Alexandria was laued with cers uneasiness last night. The three patients in Crompton are French Canadians. The discovery of the disease in the Crompton mills has caused general apprehension, for many have been expased. 🕝

> Exceptions to Judge's Charge Montpeller, Vt., Feb. 28.-In the supreme cougt yesterday John Kelley of boment for assault with intent to kill

in the lower court, had his sentence set

aside and a new trial ordered, the court allowing the exceptions taken to the indge's contre. Castro's Election Ratified Willemstad, Feb. 28.-According to advices received here from Caracas, the Venezuelan congress has multied the a day for their foremen, \$3.25 for naolegilan of General Castro as presi-

dent of Veheznela, for six years, high-

ning Poh, 20 last. It is reported that several other grievances.

Gage to Rend Trust Company New York, Feb. 28,-Ex-Secretary Gage of the treasury has gone to points

by the trustees.

TEM PERCENT ADVANCE

To Be Insisted Upon by Fall River Operatives

OFFER OF MANUFACTURERS

Rejected as Being Too Small-Situation Compilested by Iron Works Company Voluntarily Granting Increased Wages to Its Employes

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 28 .- The Textile Council last night voted to request the manufacturers to advance wages 10 percent, to take effect on March 17, and to further request that an answer be returned before March 10. The meeting considered the voluntary offer of 6 percent by the manufacturers and the general feeling was that the advance offered is too small.

The Textile Council is composed of delegates of four labor unions, and these delegates will report back to their respective organizations. In the event of a refusal of the manufacturers to grant the request the council will again meet and make such recommendations as it may deem expedient.

None of the members would make any statement after the meeting. Several were asked what the operatives would do if the manufacturers refused to advance 10 percent. The opinion was that the operators would press the matter.

Every Textile union in and out of the council has now taken a preliminary step. The next step is now due from the manufacturers. Secretary Taylor of the Textile Council will deliver the request as soon as possible and a meeting of the manufacturers is looked for at an early date.

Notices were posted yesterday mo ning in the mills of the Fall River Iron Works company granting an advance of 10 percent in wages to go into effect March 17 and to continue until further notice. This complicates the local wage situation very much, as the advance is granted in the amount and at the time asked for by the Weavers' union at the meeting held Wednesday

When a signer of the manuacturers' agreement to advance 6 percent April was asked what the result would be he said he presumed the signers would adhere to their decision. He was only one man, he said, but that would be nis position and he thought a similar stand would be taken by all. He said Mr. Borden could well afford to pay the ad vance had given in view of the specially antages he had in manufaction of ast fall is brought up again as which has its own governing body, and to whether local manufacturers can make their own wage terms or must be compelled to do as Mr. Borden does. and it remains to be seen whether the local manufacturers will stand is unitedly on the question as they did at that time.

> The hopes that peace might be in sight were largely based on Mr. Borden's statement last November that I e would pay no more than the market rates for labor or for anything else, but his action in posting polices indicates that he is disposed to follow the demands of the weavers, rather than the decision of the manufacturers.

Charge Illegal Collections Memphis, Feb. 28.-The board of directors of the Memphis Cotton Exchange will consider by request at their next meeting the question involving \$00,000,000 to be divided among 10 cotton growing states for alleged unconstitutional collection of this amount by the United States government during 1865, 1866 and 1867. The request is in the shape of resolutions memoralizing the representatives of Mississippi to urge the passage of a bill to refund the

amount of the collection as named. Theatrical Train Wrecked Wilmington, Del., Feb. 28.- A special train carrying the Florodora Theatrical company from Norfolk to this city was wrecked yesterday, at Eastville, Va., and several of the members of the company were seriously injured. A heavy fog prevented the engineer from observing a freight train ahead and a rear-end collision occurred. were 87 persons in the theatrical company. The scenery and nearly all the baggage was destroyed by fire:

Senators to Be Censured Washington, Feb. 28 .- The sub-committee of the senate committee on privilegés and elections which was appointed to formulate a suggestion for the proper punishment of Senators Tillman and McLaurin for their offense in the senate last Saturday practically concluded yesterday to recommend that the two sengtors be severely censured Berlin, sentenced to 20 years' imprist for their conduct, and that the punish-

ment be limited to censure.

Linemen Want More Pay New York, Feb. 28 - Acharge number of telephone linemen, employed in Manhattan, Brooklyn, the Bronx and Long Island: by the New York and New Jersey Telephone companies, wentoustrike yesterday. The linemen demand \$3.50 sistant foremen, and a flat rate of #3 for all classes of livenges. Phere are

Fireman Turned Bank Robber Glencon, Minn., Feb. 28.-William Matthews, a ratiroad fireman, put on a mask yesterday, entered the bank of Plate, overpowered the cashier, locked him in a back room, and took \$1500 from the safe. He caught a freight train for Glimcoe, but was arrested here and conferent the evisie. All the money but \$19 ban been restored.

MAN THEKA'S PLUGK Understiedly boved Her Life as Well as That of Her Babe

Balonica, Feb. 28 .- Mine Stone, if company with M. Gargiulo, left bere Pesterday for Constantinguia. She in tends to remain several weeks in Tur key and will then proceed to the United States.

During the captivity of Miss St ne and Mass falks they undered groutly from want of occupation until Mrs Taillia's haby was born. During the en tire time they were with the brigands the captives were in constant dread of the energtic military pursuit which keps them always on the move.

During the month of November the weather was very severe. After the failure of the negotiations at Sons, the women were taken to huts deep in the snow on an almost inaccessible mountain. They had no communication with the outside world except on matters relating to their ransom.

The baby was born after Mrs. Tsilra had been riding horseback for 10 hours The mother smothered the child's cries for fear the brigands would take it and kill it. Three days after the birth of the baby all were again on the move Mrs. Tsilka's training as a hospital nurse and her extraordinary nervo alone sayed her own life and that of her child, there being none of the comforts and attendance usual at such times. Only rough shelter and a screen protected the mother and the new-born baby from the cold.

The captives were supplied with eggs and with whatever else was procurable in the way of food. During their wan derings they were always strictly guarded and were never allowed to go out and exercise during the day. The was permitted only at night.

May Not Go to Charleston Washington, Feb. 28.-The action of Lieutepant Governor Tillman of South Carolina in withdrawing the invitation to President Roosevelt to present a sword to a South Carolina officer for volunteer services in the Spanish-Amer ican war has caused considerable doubt as to whether President Roosevelt wil visit the Charleston exposition, as he had intended to do. The telegram of Tillman has been received at the White House, but no attention whatever has been paid to it.

Gambler Recovers Damages

Vincennes, 1nd., Feb. 28.-After six hours' deliberation yesterday the jury in the Richard Davis case returned a verdict in favor of Davis for \$9000 Davis recently confessed having em bezzled \$75,000 of the funds of a Wash ington, Ind., bank of which he was eashler. He will be sentenced to prison in April. The \$9000 was lost at gambling and Davis will push other suits before he is sentenced. He lost more than \$30,000 at the gambling

Would-Bo Assassin Frustrated Chr. ago, Feb. 28.-Assassination of State Attorney Dencen by an alleged anarchist was thwarted yesterday by the arrest of Salvo Giovani. After be ing taken into custody. Giovani de clared it was his purpose to take the life of Mr. Deneen because the state attorney had allowed him to be eigh months in fail without cause. He made an ineffectual attack with a gazor up on the policeman who arrested hun.

Philanthropic Bostonian's Gift Pans, Feb. 28.-Edward Tuck, wealthy Bostonian, who for many years past has resided in this city, hadecided to defray the entire expense of establishing the free Amrican hospital in Paris. Besides being built on the latest American model it will be man aged by American physicians and nurses. Mr. Tuck will also donate a sufficient fund to maintain it perma nently without outside help.

Prisoners Overpowered Guards Miles City, Mont., Feb. 28.-Three soldiers serving sentences at Fort Keogh were working under guard of Privates Osborne and Miller yester day a mile from the post. As Osborne's back was turned, he was knocked senseless with a bar of iron. Miller was then overpowered and the three prisoners then hurried to some timber, but were captured. Osborne may die.

Rossa's Days Numbered Colorado Springs, Col., Feb. 28.-O'Donovan Rossa, the Feulan agitator, is dying at St. Francis hospital of blood poisoning. An operation was nerformed yesterday, the large toe of the left foot being taken off. His friends have been notified and the doctors announce that there is little chance for his recovery.

Igmunica Not on the Map

wounded in a conflict with insurgents | frementhey gathered in the partors at Igmunica, Macedonia, is entirely and in the office, the women have without foundation. There is no such place as Igmunica.

Mathers' Congress Makes a Change Washington, Feb. 28.—The election, of officers at the Mothers' congress yesterday resulted in the choice of Mrs. Prederick Schaff as president in place of Mrs. Birney, the founder of the congreet, who retires.

Scared Amateur-Is the ice safe, my dear child? Dear Child-Oh, yes, de ice is said

all right, but I don't know wedder you'll be or not.—New York Journal. Accounted For. "I don't talk yerr well, but I think of lots of bright things sometimes."

"That shows you have a good mem-

ory anybow."-Indianapolis News. More Then One. Henriques-I hear that a stork visited your house last night. Nowlythesed (tragically) - Storky --

Theatrical People Caught In

TAKEN DOWN ON LADDERS

Most of These Ways Asleep When Fire Was Discovered and Had to Hurry Out Scautily Clad-Suspicion That Incendiary Has Book at Work

Boston, Feb. 28, Something like 100 nen and women were in their rooms in the Bowdoin Square hotel, located in Bowdoin Square, when fire broke out esterdiff in the upper floors of the sixstory building. Many of the occupants were niembers of theatrical companies playing at the lower-priced theatres, and most of the inmates were asleep. As a result there was great excitement and as the hotel was without fire esapes about 25 rescues had to be made by means of fire department ladders, I welve were rescued f. om the front of the hotel and the others, were taken from the rear. There were no fatalities, and while only one person was ictually injured, many others were overcome by smoke and fright. All exept the one taken to the hospital soon ecovered.

The first knowledge that the inmates. is well as the employes had of the fire. was when some occupant of a room on rither the fifth or sixth floor raised the ery of "Fire! Fire!" This was a weak ry, but it had the effect of awakening t few of the sleeping immates. Thoroughly frightened, men and women jumped from their beds. and running from their rooms they took up the cry which had awakened them.

Just then the big bells in the corridors of the different floors of the hotel began to peal out their warning, and in t few seconds the corridors were tilled with men and women, scantily clad. hastening to make their exit from the hotel. They fell over one another in their endeavor to save themselves, but some of the men did their best to assist the women to places of safety.

Many of the frightened ones, as soon is they saw the entry ways filled with hose crying for help at the top of their voices, retreated to the rooms which they had just left and appeared at the windows facing on Bowdom square and Chardon court. By that time the iremen in houses located only a few rards away had responded to the cies for help, raised by the passersby, even before an alarm from box 23, located lirectly in Bowdoin square, had been given at 8:23 o'clock. At that time the iremen were without ladders, but they ind the large crowd of speciators that quickly congregated cried out to those

it the open windows not to jump.

Many were half-way out of . the windows at the time, but they were cool enough to heed the warnings. A iew minutes later a huge ladder truck turned into the square and instantly a shout went up. The firemen of the enzine companies and many willing hands of spectators lent'their mid to he small body of firemen on the truck, and in a short time several ladders had been raised to the windows of the hotel. An extension ladder was raised to the top of the building and a short time ater an aerial ladder, which reached to the roof, was raised. These were quickly manned by firemen, and the work of rescuing the frightened inmates was actually under way, although some of the more venturesome tremen had previously run up the stairways to care for those who might be ound in the entries.

One by one the inmates at the front windows, most of whom were women, were brought down the ladders amidst great cheering by thousands of onlookers. When they reached the ground they were taken into the hotel office and as quickly as possible were made as comfortable as possible under the circumstances.

The injured woman is Agnes Green. a waitress of the botel. She jumpe. I from the fourth story to the Lin the, rear of the hotel, a distance of two stories.

During the progress of the firm 'the lower floors of the hotel presented a scene of Indescribable confusion. Mailclad men and women, aroused from peaceful sleep, rushed hither and thither, looking for missing friends. and bemoaning their mistortunes. Vienna, Feb. 28.—The statement cm-anating from Sofia that 30 Turkish-soldiors had been killed and many being taken down the ladders by the terical, the men for the most most commembers of various theatrical companies and their total wantrobe was

contained in their frances Some of the guests succeeded in getling out a good deal of their personal effects: One actor had brought down his whole trunk and dumped it in the middle of the office. Clad in only his underclothing he proceeded to complete this toilet with the unnost unconcern, mille others looked on menyy, thinking of their wearing apparel burned or

soaked in the rooms above. Many persons, including the employes and guests of the hotel, as well as the fire and police officials, are anxious to have determined beyond as rengonalds, loubt whether the fire was of incendiary origin. There are many relia believe it was and they have their reason for such belief mainly on the fact that there was a parrow escape from a similar fire in the hotel about three weeks ago. This tild not become generally known until after yesterday's

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DRESS SUITS IN GRAY.

Radical Desprive to Svening Wear Freshied Kort Summer. The America of the twentieth century has original ideas concerning the wears in Africa relates a thrilling expofuture of men's dress for evening rience, which befell his family here. wear. The coming summer is to see a His bome at the time was in the edge striking innovation, according to the of the Transynal wilderness, and it New York Times, which may lead to was there that the event occurred. others still more radical. This is noth-

The leading New York makers of ings when nothing seems to break the men's clothes have had this matter un- stillness. der consideration for some months believing that the time was almost ripe and considering that the utility of a suit of some sober, dignified color other than black would appeal to the along the ground in the direction of my common sense of summer residents at the fashionable resorts particularly.

In discussing the proposed change a prominent Fifth avenue tailor said recently:

"Of course we do not expect every one will change from black to gray at once. We have had several orders for dinner suits in the new style, but many of our best customers in renewing their Tuxedo garments for the coming season have preferred to stick to the black of seasons past.

will first be seen early in the Newport season, and we shall then be in a better position to judge whether the wearing of them is to be regarded as a fad or whether the innovation may be expected to become a permanent change in fashionable evening dress

follow those of the black for the present season, which remain unchanged extend clear to the edges, with a little pinding of braid to match. The vest nay be of gray, double breasted, or it nay be of white, with white or gilt outtons, these being matters in which atitude is allowed for individual astes, while the approval of fashion nd correct style is given to each

ped a Truckman's Cruelty. District Attorney Jerome of New ork related with keen enjoyment an sperience he had recently with a uck driver whom he saw beating his orse, says the Chicago Inter Ocean.

y to budge the wagon. "Here, get down off of there and let ur horse get his breath!" said Mr.

lifferently.

'Well, if you get down on the ground ur horse won't have quite so big a down on the ground.

ir horse will pull all right," said Mr. ome, turning to continue on his

will work?"

tinued, "Say, what would you have arrested," replied Mr. Jerome.

Jee!" ejaculated the other, dropping

sined him, with a grin.

ay," he said, "that was a great f you chucked at that fellow."

to it all right, didn't he?" d, with an appreciative slap on the

, the stranger sauntered away.

is that the new card contains a vie of President McKinley in lieu

ed that fevers are spread in this

The Crx. of the Children." growing hard and dreary; every casure turns to gall; very dreams we're haunted by a st and whizzing ball, ur backs are nearly breaking, and

n received our feelings (which of te have had stoll shocks) our father send the paper and our other darned the socks, w our t respect your father when

fe'll try to beer out burden, and ill never talk of "fade" work on "modern methous" or "the est thing in dads," Il never know what peace is till land upon that shore he fathers could from plaging and mothers pong no more.

KILLING A LION:

A thet at thert Bance Upon Which Mach Depended.

One evenly; about dusk my wife and ing more or less than the substitution child were sitting on the veranda of of dark gray cassimere for the black the bangalow. I was engaged a few material of the same texture which rods away putting the finishing teaches has been used exclusively hitherto in to a bit of wagon repairing. The servthe making of men's suits for evening anti-were at the rear of the house. It was one of those peculiarly quiet even-

> Suddenly I felt, rather than saw, something moving near the veranda. I looked more closely and to my horror perceived an enormous lion stealing wife and child. My wife saw the creature at the same instant and, despite her terror, fortunately remained perfectly motionless and silent.

tily crept toward the side of the bungalow to the open window of my room, where I knew a loaded rifle was leaning against the wall. I climbed in at the window, seized the rifle and leaped by another window upon the veranda.

llon was within a few feet of my dear ones and crouching for a spring. I called softly to my wife not to move and then fired.

and stretched him on the ground. There was an instant of fearful suspense. Then I fired again, but the second bullet was not necessary, for the

Do You Know Your Letters? Auy man who can read would probably resent such an imputation of ignorance as this question conveys. "Do you know your letters?" is what is asked the little tot when he or she first sets foot in school. But growing men and women may be pardoned for believing they are speaking the truth when they answer "yes" to the question. The chances are, however, that they don't know their letters. Why has "A" its present shape? Stumped the first time! Every A-merican ought to know that. A takes its shape from a picture of an engle. B was once the picture of an Egyptian bird. D represented a man's hand. F was the horned viper. The two upper strokes are the remains of the horns and the perpendicular line the upright body of the viper. H was once the semblance of a

We got our letters from the Phoenician alphabet, which in turn came from the hieroglyphic picture writing of Egypt. So don't be so sure of your knowledge next time you are asked a simple question.

in Ancient Billiard Table. There is a billiard table in London that can boast of a lifetime of two centuries and a long acquaintance with men who have made history. It belonged originally to Louis XIV., passed nto the possession of Napoleon I. and now in its old age is on exhibition in Soho square. This celebrated table is maller than an English table. The body of the table is a block of oak weighing ten hundredweight, covered with a cloth of electric blue. The frame of the table is of rosewood, and the six pockets-perhaps the most striking feaure of the table—are reproductions in bronze of queer, hideous old gargoyles. When the ball falls into the pocket the lower jaw of the gargoyle drops, plained. and the ball is found in its mouth. It is a clever piece of old mechanism.-

An Indignant Poet. Beranger, the famous French poet, whose greatest gift lay in writing little poems which he called songs, was particularly dependent upon the chance

"You must have written several

ongs since I saw you last." "I have only begun one," answered Beranger.

claimed Viennet. Beranger, became indignant.

"Humph!" he shouted. "Do you think one can turn off a song as one turns off

Keeping Him In True.

him, and every now and then he gave his son a kick, with the remark: Look out, Sammy! There be a flat a-com-She Vetoed the Plan. "Shall we take in Yellowstone park

Chicago News. A Dentist'n Epitaph.

grimmer than the following humorous couplet on a dentist's grave: Stranger, approach this tomb with grav-John Brown is filling ble last cavity.

-London Globe. The pessimist calls attention to the fact that the man whose credit is the final answer yet? best really needs no credit at all. He | Mabel-Not yet-but I have given

Paintings In Dayst Show That Nosh Did Not Invent Ships.

any record, but Egypt, that land of proper model for the ark, though the proportions must have been different or ewer animals must have existed.

the pictures painted by early Egyptian artists, which show what boats were used seventy and even eighty censkiff he uses a vessel the shape of which has been little impoved during the ages, that have massed since the shepherd kings ruled the valley of the Nile.—Philadelphia North American.

Boots and shoes in England have been subject to a very considerable fall in prices of late years. Partly this is owing to the use of machinery, partly to the employment of lads where men used to do the work, partly to the use of what was formerly waste material and partly to sheer dodgery and trickcry. Men's lace boots are now to be bought for 2s. 11d. They are made of leather, too, and to look at them you

The truth is, however, the uppers are made of what are known as "center splits," and the soles are an artificial compound of leather waste. The "center splits" are very ingenious forms of shoddy. Good, honest skins are cunningly split into three thicknesses. The center sheet is soft and spongy and has no natural grain upon it. But this defect in its appearance is supplied by a process of printing which produces a surface "grain" and makes it, to the inexperienced eye, just like ordinary leather. It is then made up into boots that give every promise of good service. a promise to the eye, to parody Macbeth-pretty certainly destined to be broken to the hope.-Chambers' Jour-

Thunderstorms at Sea. An electric storm at sea is one of the alarming experiences to which a mari ner is exposed, but as a matter of record it is one that is least fruitful in disastrons results. As a rule few precaustroke of lightning, especially in the merchant service. Ships of war are ors, a precaution made necessary by the explosives stored away in their magazines. But these safeguards are seldom seen on a merchant vessel, and, judging by the extreme rarity of the cases where they have been struck, Jack's claim that he is safer on the ocean than on shore during an electric-

al disturbance must be admitted. It is a well established theory that one caught in a thunderstorm should not take shelter under a tall tree, especially if it stands in a clearing. Why lightning should strike an isolated piece of timber on shore and spare it after it has been converted into a vessel's mast is yet to be satisfactorily ex-

Manhattan Full of Holes. mous coal mine, with intricate galleries and apartments underground. A large group of curious subterranean rooms and passages is to be found at the foot of Broadway, extending out interally to the east and west. An almost continuous line of them follows Broadway. Several of the banks and trust companies have offices fitted up below the crowded sidewalks, where rows of clerks work silently, numindful of the rush and turmoil above their heads. In the safe deposit vaults built below the pavements of Broadway. Wall, Nassau and Broad streets are stored millions of dollars' worth of se-

A strange flower has been borne by a Malmaison rosebush growing in a garden at Violet Hill, Stowmarket. England. The bush was close to an apple tree, and on one of the largest buds bursting into bloom five perfect apple blossoms, each on separate stalks, were seen growing in the center. As the petals of the rose developed the apple blossoms opened, the two forming a curious contrast.

The lacebark tree grows in the West Indies. It is a lofty tree, with ovate, entire, smooth leaves and white flowers. It is remarkable for the tenacity on our bridge tour?" asked the mascu- of its inner back and the readiness line half of the proposed combination. with which the inner bark may be sep-"No: we'll cut that out," replied the arated-after maceration in water-infair bride in prospective. "Yellow is to layers resembling lace. A governor so awfully trying on my complexion." of Jamaica is said to have presented to Charles II. a cravat, frill and ruf-

Ranor Edged.

fles made of it.

"I should say so. Why, she's grown so sharp that now she cuts me whenever we meet."-New York World.

Madge-Have Jon given Jack your

Exhausting Nature of a Number Practiced by Onondage Braves on Their Beservation.

Of all the Indians on the Onondaga reservation Jairus Pierce is probably the best versed in the ancient history and customs not only of his own tribe, but also of other tribes of the Iroquois confederacy. Mr. Pierce has made the war dances of the Indians an especial study, and on a recent evening with five of his companions gave an exposition in this city, supplemented with short descriptive talks, says the Syracuse Post-Standard.

The dances as executed were typical of the old life of the Indians. The ghost dance is held annually at the council house, and commemorates the dead heroes of the tribe. It is a monotonous dance, executed in strokes upon a small drum and with mournful, weird notes sung in a high key by the participants. The dancers continuously shuffle around in a circle.

In the exposition of the war dance the braves had a fine chance to let themselves out, and they did it with a will. The screechings and yells that the three big "bucks" drew out of themselves were enough to drown the noise of a couple of locomotives, and the contortions with which they embellished the exhibition would put the gymnast of any modern circus to shame.

The Indians evidently enjoyed the work of dancing-for it was nothing less than work. It is not dancing as it is taught to-day, but rather a continuous jumping around on one foot and keeping time with the other to the music of the drum and the dancer's own voice. At the same time a coninual din is kept up by each person by means of a rattle, stick or club. From the faces of the performers at times it might be inferred that they were working themselves up to a pitch where they would lose control of themselves. but the Indians were enjoying it and came out of the dance with smiling

The dances were executed to music hat varied very little. The voices of the performers seemed to frame but few notes, but these were worked overtime. As near as the words could be understood they sounded like this: "Hua-lua-hualua, hia-i-hia, haua, ohaua," and were accompanied by an incessant jumping up and down and shuffling of the feet that must have produced a tired feeling, since the performers were thin moccasins and the dances were executed on hardwood

Among the legends narrated by Mr. Pierce was one regarding the teachings of Handsome Lake It was said that Handsome Lake, after a vision in which he met the Great Spirit, taught that only Indians were to be admitted to the happy hunting grounds. George Washington, because of his kindness to the Indians, was to be allowed to remain just outside the entrance.

The burning of the white dog was in terestingly described. It was stated that at the close of each year the feast was held, the popular impression being that the sins of the people were consumed with the body of the dog, on which they were cast.

The closing dance was that of the medicine man, who had a make-up that was calculated to strike terror to timid hearts. With wild songs and yells the hideous figure of the performer, who wore a death mask covered with long hair, jumped and danced over the stage until exhaustion compelled a cessation. of hostilities.

That Is Another Matter. Lots of men will tell you how to get ich, but they haven't time to explain why they didn't .- Chicago Daily News.

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"Speaking of water reminds me of the fact that Mississippi river water is probably the best in the world, except the water that we sometimes get from deep in the ocean," said a gentleman who is very careful about the kind of water he uses, according to the New Orleans Times-Demo crat. "Of course there are men who claim to be experts and who urge very serious objections to the water which bubbles out of the earth at bake Itaska and flows on to the gulf, but the layman may discover many of the weak points in these ob jections. The fact is that they are thoughtlessly made, if, indeed, they are not captious. Unquestionably there is some centamination, because the Mississippi is really a vast drainage canal which runs right through flow is so rapid that these contaminating ingredients are never allowed to congest at any point. The heavy per cent. of sediment acts as a purifying agent in handling the unhealthy particles which get into the water.

"Up to a few years ago the water of the Mississippi was heavily charged with vegetable juices. There is still a fair per cent. of these inices in the water of the riverenough, in fact, to make the river the greatest oyster feeder in the world, if the juices could reach the oyster beds without depositing the sediment which stains the water. But the per cent. of vegetable juices in the river has been reduced somewhat on account of the levee construction which has been going on between Missouri and the Gulf of Mexico. Levees have prevented an immense wash of vegetable substances into the river from time to time by the freshets which pour in from the low lands. There is still. however, a sufficient quantity of veg-

latter a far superior article."

Singular Keepsake in England of a Hanny Hour Spent in the Vatican at Rome.

Castle which is singularly valued owing to the story of how it came into the possession of the present duke of Norfolk, says the London Pree Lance. When his grace first succeeded to his title (when only 12 years of age) he went on a visit to Rome, heavily weighted with his official dignity, though a natural and unspoilt child in years and bearing. The then pope, l'ius the Ninth, or Pio None, as he was called, took a desperate fancy to the little nobleman, the lay representative of all royal Catholicism in England, and therefore, in spite of his youth, a highly important guest. After some formalities they became very friendly, and the pope so far waived all precedent as to take the

"pick-a-back" on the shoulders of a supreme pontiff. Certainly a unique experience for both.

Blindwess an Inheritance. There are 11 of the present Hereshoffs and five of them are blind, but they know how to build boats. Blindness is an inheritance of the Hereshoffs, though all the afflicted are not born so. One of them walked to a window one day to read a letter, and, on turning around, said: "My, I am blind!" Another bumped his head against a door and his sight was gone. Some of them are born blind and all of them with the tendency, so that shocks and slight accidents induce loss of night. They are rich and all have beautiful homes in Bristol. All of them are artistic One brother teaches music for the love of it. Not one of the children of the present generation is blind yet

The Cold Trath. "Wasn't it a terrible feeling," then asked him, "after you had done your work at the bottom of the lake and had nearly reached the surface of the wa Boat Proparation Obtainable ter again to realize that the ice had

Time Table in L'ifect Daily, Commencing 15eptember 26, 1901.

Main Line,

Leave Market Square for Rye Beach and Little Boar's Head, connecting for Exeter and Newburypoit, at *7:05 a. m., 8:05 and hourly until 8:05 p. m. For Cable Road only at *5:30 a. m., *6:55 a. m and *10:05 p. m. For Little Boar's Head only at 8:05 and 9:05 p. m. 1:05, 5:05, 7:05, 8:05 and 9:05 p. m. cars make close connection for North Hampton.

Returning-Leave Junction with E. H. & A. St. Ry. at *8:03 a. m.. 9:05 and hourly until 9:05 p. m. Leave Cable Road at *6:10 a. m., *7:30 a. m. and *10:35 p. m. Leave Little Boar's Head at 9:10 and 10:10 p. m.

Plains Loop.

Up Middle Street-Leave Market Square at *6:35 a. m., *7:05, 7:35 and half-hourly until 10:05 p. m., and at *10:35 and **11:05:

Up Islington Street-Leave Market Square at *6:35 a. m., *7:05, 7:35 and half-hourly until 10:05, p. m. and at *10:35 and **11:05. Last car each night runs to car barn only. Running time to Plains, 12 minutes.

Christian Shore Line.

Leave Market Square for B. & M. Station and Christian Shore at *6:25 a. m., *7:05, 7:35 and halfhourly until 10:05 p. m., and at *10:35 and **11.05.

Returning-Leave Corner Bartlett and Morning Streets at *6:10 a. m., *6:50, 7:20 and half-hourly until 9:50 p. m., and at *10:20 and **10:50.

*Omitted Sundays. **Saturdays only.

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The Board of Registrars of Voters for the City of Portsmouth hereby give notice that they will be in session t the Common Council chamber at City Hall in said city on the following lates, viz.: January 31st, February 4th, 7th, 11th, 14th, 18th, 21st, 25th, 28th, and March 4th, 1902, at the collowing ours: from 9 a. m., to 12 m.: from 2 to and 7:30 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of making up and correcting the Check Lists of the several wards in said city. to be used at the city election to be held March 11th, 1902.

The said Board will also be in secsion at the same place on election day. March 11th, 1902, from 8 a. m., to 12 m, and from 1 to 4 p. m., for the purnose of granting certificates to those egal voters whose names are omitted from the lists.

Voters must bear in maid that it is heir personal duty to see that their names are on the lists, by presenting themselves at some meeting of this

LORENZO T. BURNHAM. Chairman.

HERBERT B. DOW, Clerk.

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5:22, 8:50, 9:20, p. m. Sunday, 8:30, 10:45, a. m., 8:55, p. m.

For Wells Beach 9:55, a. m., 2:45. 5:22, p. m. Sunday, 8:30, a. m. For Old Orchard and Portland-9:55,

For North Conway-9:55, a. m., 2:45,

For Dover 4:50, 9:45, a. m., 12:15. 2:40, 5:22, 8:52, p. m. Sunday,

or North Hampton and Hampton-7:20, 8:15, 10:53, a. m., 5:00, p. m.

Trains for Portsmouth

m., 12:30, 3:30, 4:45, 7:00, 7:45, p. m. Sunday, 4:30, 8:20, 9:00, a. m., 6:40, 7:00, p. m.

4:15, p. m.

_eave Rochester - 7:19, 9:47, a. m., 3:50, 6:25, p. m. Sunday, 7:00, a.

a. m., 4:05, 6:39, p. m. _eave Dover-6:50, 10:24, a. m., 1:40, 4:30, 6:30, 9:20, p. m. Sunday.

7:30, a. m., 9:25, p. m.

eave Hampton-9:22, 11:50, a. m., 2:13, 4:59, 6:16, p. m. Sunday. 6:26, 10:06, a. m., 8:09, p. m.

eave Greenland-9:35, a. m., 12:01. 2:25, 5:11, 6:27, p. m. Sunday,

SOUTHERN DIVISION

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Greenland Village-8:39, a. m., 12:54,

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EROME FEAZED THE DRIVER

latrict Attorney of New York Stophe man was perched high up on his at and was raining blows upon the simal that either could or would not

'Horse is balky," replied the driver

Hold on!" said the driver. "Aren't I going to wait and see if your theoir. Jerome laughed, and the man

er, with a sneer. am the district attorney of this

whip in the snow. Are you Je-Chat's my name."

Vhat bluff?" asked the district atbout you being Jerome. Say, he

New Postal Cards.

esident Jefferson's portrait. Bucteria In Dust Storms. m a gelatin plate exposed one seco a dust storm in the Pretoria val-louth Africa, thousands of colof bacteria were developed. It is

rr youthful limbs are sore, ve're playing, playing pingpong, blob our parents both adore.

arraying on the floor
aring at your mother if she doesn't
ow the score!

An Baglishman who lived many

Scarcely knowing what to do, I has-There was no time to think. The

The ball passed directly over my boy's head and lodged in the forehead of the lion immediately above the eves

lion had been killed at the first shot.

Liverpool Post.

visits of the musc. He was once visited by the author and academician Viennet, who said to

"Only one! I am astonished!" ex-

a tragedy." Herr Meyer Lutz tells the following little story in Mainly About People: Conducting once in Bradford, I noticed that the clarinet player, a young but clever and steady lad, jumped up good deal during the progress of the opera. I found that his father, who played the trombone, sat just behind

"Is Miss Caustique still sharp in her manner toward you?"

can pay cash. Seturday Evening Post, him my Snai "No."-Brooklyn Life.

etable matter in the stream.

little duke on his back, "pick-a-back" fashion, and trot him around his

closed over the spot where you went down?"

8:30, a. m.

For Somersworth-4:50, 9:45, 9:55, a. m., 2:40, 2:45, 5:22, 5:30, p. m. For Rochester 9:45, 9:55, a. m., 2:40, 2:45, 5:22, 5:30, p. m.

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Wanchester - 8:32, 11:10, a. m., 4:20,

12:17, 5:55, p. m.

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AND TUNING DOWN.

ight to start," reasoned Mr. Jerome. The man stopped using the whip and Now, wait about five minutes, and

ie if I hadn't got down off me seat?" I'd have called a policeman and had Who are you?" demanded the truck

s, the district attorney walked off g the street an interested bystand-

new one cent postal card is now g printed at the bureau of engravand printing in Washington, and n the first issue of 4,000,000 has counted and bundled the new will be placed on sale, says the delphia Press. Its distinctive fea-

and the possible distribution of al epidemics is appalling.

Epitaphs are often grim, but seldom

BOATS BEFORE THE ARK.

It is popularly supposed that Nouh's ark is the first ship of which we have mysteries and surprises, shows pointgated at a fur earlier period than 2840 I. C., which is the date usually assigned to the food. It may have been one of her boats thus pictured that provided Noul and his three sons with a

J. de Morgan, the French Egyptologist, several years ago discovered in brick vaults near Cairo a number of boats that are certainly as old as the date at which the ark was built and perhaps a bit older. They are it is true, but small craft, measuring 33 feet long, 7 or 8 wide and 30 to 36 inches deep. They resemble in general form. turies ago. And today when the fellah steps aboard his small our propelled

Shoddy Boots.

might think it genuine enough.

tions are taken to guard against a usually fitted with lightning conduct

Manhattan Island is like an enor-

curities, over which the crowds hurry all day beedlessly. A Strange Flower.

The Lacebark Tree.

Rendy For the "Yes."

SOME INDIAN WAR DANCES.

the heart of the country. But the

"But I was speaking of the value of the water for home and drinking nurposes. It is the best in the world, in my judgment. It has to be filtered and clarified. I have tried the best water in the world. I would rather drink the water from the Mississippi river after it has been filtered than to drink any water that I know anything about. The water taken from the deep in the ocean is supposed to be very pure, and no doubt it is, but a number of years ago, while at Liverpool, I had a chance to compare ocean water with the water of the Mississippi, and I do not hesitate to say that I found the

WHEN THE POPE PLAYED.

There is a crucifix at Arundel

Highly delighted was the little scion of all the Howards at this singular privilege. "Now," said the pope, "what would you like best?" Earnestly the little boy answered:
"Oh, show me your bedroom, Holy Father: they say no one may go in there." And they tell the story that the pope carried the duke into that inaccessible apartment on his shoulders and took from the wall the great crucifix hanging over the bed and gave it to his little guest as an eternal keepsake of a happy hour when the pope for once relaxed his priestly rule to have a real human romp with a little lad, and when the duke rode

-N. Y. Sun.

"Yes," said the professional diver "For a little while I was up against if good and hard."-Chicago Tribuna.

(In Effect October 14, 1901.) Leave Portsmouth

For Portland-9:55, 10:45, a. m., 2:45,

a. m., 2:45, 5:22, p. m. Sunday,

D. m.

Sunday, 8:00, a. m., 5:00, p. m.

eave Portland-2:00, 9:00, a. m., 12:45, 6:00, p m. Sunday, 2:00, a.

_eave Somersworth-6:85,7:32, 10:00,

6:30, 10:12, a. m., 8:15, p. m.

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FRIDAY, FEB. 28, 1902.

Temporarily, the merger seems sub-

A way to industrial peace is a way to industrial prosperity.

And still the democrats grope in the dead past for a living issue

Sause a la Macedoine will hence forth be barred from all missionary banquets.

Well, Admiral Dewey, nobody has yet called your little affair in Manila bay a captains' battle.

The ways and means committee should understand that Cuba is asking not gratuity, but justice.

committee's Macedonian method of passing the contribution box does not call for an encore.

To be asked not to come to dinner is the unique form of social rebuke to which Tillman exposed himself.

Canada, like Austria, is trying to shut out American shoes. But their footing is on good workmanship and sooner or later they will kick in all closed doors.

Prince Henry's desire to see all phases of American life and character, fom the highest to the lowest, will not be fully gratified unless they showed him Tillman when he was in Washington.

In the oriental drama now being acted, Russia, Japan and England stand in the calcium light. But Uncle Sam is stage manager. And John Chinaman, who is playing Pantaloon, will take his cue accordingly.

A white murderer in Mississippi objects to being hanged on the same day as a colored murderer, because ot scruples as to social equality. One wonders whether the color prejudice can be carried beyond the noose.

Marchionesses, however portly, are to be alloted space only sixteen inches in breadth at King Edward's coronation ceremonies. The untitled American, sitting in his easy chair, can judge accordingly whether it will profit him to cross the ocean with any hope of a seat in Westminister Abbey or in St. Paul's

The demonstration being made over Prince Henry's visit will not be allowed to obscure entirely the visit of the Boer delegates to this country, because there is a friendly sentiment behind them which will keep them in view-or at least as much in view as they wish to be. Their present visit does not concern itself with public demonstrations of sympathy. There is some work for them to do they have well formed ideas of the mystery. way to do it. Probably most of this work concerns itself with the bracing up of the American pro-Boer committo do quietly. There is nothing that inflammation. can be done for them in an official way, nor can they hope for anything for them to keep their hand to some system. extent on the organization of pro-Boer sentiment.

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THE TERRITORY OF ANTILLES.

(By Walter J. Ballard.)

"Under the Monroe doctrine, we could not allow any European power to acquire the Danish West India islands, therefore, we could not in fairness, refuse to buy them, when they were for sale."

After these words in the senate from Senator Bacon of Georgia (dem.) there was not a single objector, and the treaty of parchase at \$5,000,000 was unanimously ratified.

We get a clear warranty deed of the property, the islands of St. Thomas, St. Croix and St. John.

They cover an area of 127 square miles, with a population of 30,000-Denmark has held them, unprofitably, since 1671, but in our hands, with our energy and up to date methods, our nearness, both in our mainland and in Porto Rico, the island revenues will soon tell "another story," as Kipling says.

Charlotte Amelie is the largest place on the island of St. Thomas. At present, only fifteen per cent. of the population is white, but the color line is not drawn, in business or churches. The blackmen and women are of a superior class. Intermarriage is not unusual. Whites and blacks share rights and privileges equally. Education is compulsory for children of both colors, between the ages of seven and thirteen.

Everybody speaks English and it is used in the schools and courts of justice, though the official language is l Dutch.

Charlotto Amelie has a fine harbor, large coal wharves and a dry dock. As Senator Cullom said in the senate. "the strategic value of that harbor is of great proportions, as it commands the military situation in Cuba, as far as is necessary and if we build our canal across the Isthmus of Panama, this harbor will guard its approach."

St. Thomas is not of agricultural importance. Its 12,000 people are mainly fed from the United States.

Frederiksted and Christiansted are the chief towns of the island of St. Creix. The stores and shops are of one story, like those on the island of St. Thomas. They have Episcopal, Moravian, Catholic Dutch Reformed and Methodist churches and a synagogue. The membership is about equal of whites and blacks. A full blooded negro is one ct the Dutch Reformed

The Danish army has been main tained at about 250 men, sent out to Louisiana Purchase exposition. stav six vears.

St. John island has a population of substitute bill appropiating \$100,000. 700 nearly all blacks. There is much judge of the island is also chief of nolice, (force of two) postmaster, truant

custom house officer. (Pooh-Bah) The climate is purely tropical, the building. temperature in summer ranging from

80 to 91 degrees. In 1901, our sales to the islands increased \$57,238. We shipped 13,271 barrels of flour at a value of \$18,234, while all other countries sold only 42 barrels of the value of \$153.00.

Coaling steamers is the principal ndustry of the islands. About thirty steamers coal there each month. Last year they took on 90,818 tons of the United States.

Home life is prized and a high estimate is held of the family relation. With the nearby prosperous Porto

CURING CONSUMPTION.

of the consumptive's condition. building has been referred by the ex-Every pound of weight gained ecutive committee to a sub-committee is a matter for congratulation.

side to make the consumptive nominations desire to do and report gain weight when taking to the executive committee, with in this country, and it is evident that Scott's Emulsion is still a

thing to the lungs, too, that of the "Jefferson Guard" at the St. tee, and this work they will proceed reduces the cough and the

like intervention from our govern- always mean that consumption ment. But it is perfectly practicable is losing its influence over the exposition company.

> Scott's Emulsion is a reliable Ignacio L de la Barra, Judge Jesus help. SOOTTA BOWNE, Chemieta, 409 Pearl St., N. Y.

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ness.

"I had poor health for nine years," writes Mrs. Armintie Watkins, of Acme, Kannwhn Co, W. Va. "Had female weakness, was very irregular and would suffer untold misery. Our family doctor did not do me any good and I concluded to write to you. When I wrote I had no idea that I would ever get well, but when your letter reached me I began to have hope. I commenced taking Dr. Fierce's medicines as directed and began to improve in strength. I was soon able to do the work for my family of six. I took eight bottles, three of 'Favorite Prescription' and five of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and two vials of 'Pellets,' "

Pellets.' The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, 1008 pages, in paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Rico as an associate, guide and energizer, there are great possibilities for good in the "Territory of the Antilles." Schenectady, N. Y., Feb. 25.

WORLD'S FAIR NEWS NOTES.

The mining and smelting companies of Colorado are preparing mineral exhibits for the St. Louis World's fair which will cost \$150,000.

The Union Pacific system of railroads is to be represented in lavish style at the Louislana Purchase exposition, as announced officially from the Omaha headquarters.

Chairman Clarke, of the Iowa house judiciary committee, has introduced into the legislature of that state a bill providing for an Iowa exhibit at the

In the New Jersey legislature, Feb. St. Croix has thirty two sugar es- 18, Representative Williams withdrew tates, and all the produce goes to New his bill appropriating \$25 000 for World's fair purposes in favor of a

The board in charge of the United grazing land on this island. The chief States government exhibit, after considering the suggested distribution of a part of the government exhibits, inschool principal, whart master and sists that all the government exhibits shall be retained in the government

Prof. F. H. H. Roberts, of the University of Wyoming, who is in charge of the preparation of Wyoming's educational exhibits at the World's fair. educational display ever undertaken by a western state.

A twenty-two foot cut of a fir tree nearly eighteen inches in diameter coal, of which 86,271 tons came from fair by the Tacoma, Wash., chamber of commerce as part of the Washington exhibit. A fund of \$500 has been raised to pay the cost of removing it from the forest to St. Louis.

Roanoke county. Virginia, has held World's fair mass meeting and appointed a committee of half a dozen prominent citizens to go to Richmond and co-operate with other committees When Scott's Emulsion in obtaining from the legislature such large. makes a consumptive gain legislation as will secure the Old Doflesh it is curing his consump- minion a creditable exhibit at the Louisiana Purchase exposition.

The matter of an appropriation by The weight is the measure the exposition company for a religious composed of President Francis, Murray Carleton and F. J. N. Skiff, who Exactly what goes on in- will ascertain what the various de-

The formal order detailing Major Edwin A. Goodwin, of the 7th Caval-Scott's Emulsion does some- ry. U. S. A., for duty as commandant Louis World's fair, was issued by the war department, Feb. 15. It orders him to report by letter to the com-More weight and less cough manding general, department of the Missouri, and place himself in communication with the president of the

The Mexican Herald of February 13 For all stages of the disease reports that Senator Carlos Rivas. F. Uriarto and Nicolas Ramirez de Arelleno have been appointed & "That Mexico is fully determined to summer. and SMOKE be well represented at the St. Louis Your Lifesway! exposition is proved by the carnest. exposition is proved by the carnest-

The contract for the Textiles build- served.

ing was awarded Feb. 18, by the grounds and building committee of the exposition to Dunnavant & Estel, of Omaha, for \$319,399, the work to be finished by October 15, 1902, under a penalty of \$500 for each day of delay. The building is to be 600 x 525 feet and the area covered by the roof 216,-000 square feet. Fifteen firms competed. The architect's estimate of cost was \$375,000 and the bigs averaged \$379,558, seven of them being under the estimate, and the highest \$456,-000. This is the second of the big exhibit buildings placed in contractor's hands to be completed by October, 1902.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

Mayoralty.

The republicans of Portsmuth will hold a mayoralty caucus at the old Court house on Court street on Monday evening, March 3d, from five to away delighted with Mr. Crane's in-

eight o'clock. SAMUEL W. EMERY, Chairman. JOSHUA M. VAUGHAN, Secretary.

Ward One. A caucus of the republicans of Ward One will be held at the ward stage by R. and M. W. Hitchcock Few room on Maplewood avenue on Friday liberties have been taken in the work evening, Feb. 28, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates the bringing of Mary Blake to Hometo be supported at the polls at the mu- ville so that she might be near John nicipal election.

Per Order of the Ward Committee.

Ward Two. The republicans of Ward Two are requested to meet at the old Court of the best things in the play is the house, Friday evening, Feb. 28, at horse trade, which takes place in the '30 o'clck, for the purpose of nominating candidates to be supported at laid in Harum's bank, shows the old the coming election.

WILLIAM E. STORER, Chairman. JOHN D. RANDALL, Secretary.

Ward Three.

The republicans of Ward Three will hold a caucus at the ward room, Saturday evening, March 1, at 7:30 o'clock, to nominate candidates to be supported at the coming election. CHARLES CHARLESEN, Chairman. CEYLON SPINNEY, Secretary.

Ward Four.

The republicans of Ward Four will hold a caucus at the ward room on Marcy street, on Friday evening, Feb. 28, at seven o'clock, to nominate candidates to be supported at the coming election.

JOSHUA M. VAUGHAN, Chairman. C. F. COLE, Secretary.

Ward Five. A caucus of the republicans of Ward Bow street on Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock for the purpose of nominating officers to be supported at the polls at the municipal election.

Per order of the Ward Committee.

KITTERY POINT.

Kittery Point, Mc., Feb. 27. The report has reached here that owing to a lack of interest in the says they will be the most complete Woman's Relief Corps of Kittery it seriously thinks of giving up its charler. It has truly hoped that the rumor is untrue for this noble band of ladies, composed of wives and daughwill be sent to the St Louis World's ters of the veterans, are a geat aid and support to the ever thinning ranks of the G. A. R. Those who have been wont to stay at home and not attend the meetings from time to time are in a manner responsible for the discouragement that has come upon the faithful few who attend the meetings regular and are striving to club is to give Cranford. keep up an interest in the order. The membership in goodstanding is quite

The Sea Point sand injunction case is attracting much comment and it is quite probable that the case will be heard from in the courts, as the citizens of this place are not going to allow three men step in and tell them they cannot have a little sand from a beach which belongs to the town. It is clearly a case of personal spite and will not end as it now

This is the last week of the school year and it is hoped that when the corps of teachers will be engaged. The play by Clyde Fitch, the American held must see to it that the right man | will be the engagement of The Climbis elected to look after the interests ers Saturday night.-Concord Moniof the schools.

It is understood that another local church is soon to be again without a pastor, and that the present pastor is anticipating taking up of mission-

Brakeman Wallace S. Chase has been tansferred from Conductor Toner's train to Conductor Garland's, giving him much better hours and a bet-World's fair committee for the federal ter train. He will get through with

ness and earliness with which prepara on Monday evening. Whist was the terment took place in the family lot tions have been commenced. This ap- chief pastime and there were four at Proprietors cemetery. Under-



that sterling actor, William H. Crane, in a dramatization of David Harum at Music hall on Thursday evening to a large audience. Everybody who had read the book was there and went terpretation of the eccentric charac ter. The company was a strong one throughout and the play staged as only

transplanted from the book to the of dramatization, the main one being

dents of the story are in the play. One of the best things in the book and one opening act. The second act, which is Montaig, the village tough, and the laid in Aunt Polly's sitting room on Lenox follows and the Christmas dinner, at which David opens that famous bottle of champagne, brings the play to an end.

Simplicity Johnson, the orphan child in Clyde Fitch's rural play Lovers' Lare which will have its first appeararce in this city in March at Music hall. This is one of the best if not the best child's part ever written. Turned out of the orphan asylum she is given a home in the minister's house greatly to the dissatisfaction of the congregation, who, only for the minister, would send her to jail. A large cast of thirty artists and a complete scenic production will be presented here as it was for five months in New York, and three months in Chicago. The tour is under the direction of William A. Brady.

WITH THE THEATRICAL FOLK.

Sky Farm gets its New York hearing March 15.

Amelia Bingham has shelved Lady The Milford W. R. C. staged Bell,

Rock recently and now the Woman's And now even advertisements are to be dramatized. Gus Hill is to put

term commences, the same efficient Concord has never, up to date, seen a year has been very satisfactory to the playwright whose work is now so treparents and pupils and the voters at mendously in vogue. The first appearthe annual town meeting soon to be lance of one of his plays in Concord

> For Over Sixty Tears MRS. Wisslow's footning Symp has been sand for children teething. It souths the child, softens the gams, allays all pain, curse wied color and is the best remedy for Diarrhose, twenty five cents a bottle.

The funeral of Bernard MacKinthe funeral arrangements.

DAVID. HARUM. Charles H. Frohman presented

Frohman's productions are put on. The play is in three acts and was

Lenox, the cashier of Harum's bank. Nearly all of the familiar sayings, quaint philosophy, and amusing inciengagement of Mary Blake and John

LOVERS' LANE.

The quintessence of quaintness is

Miss Hilda Spong's next role is to be Esmeralda in Notre Dame. The Princess Nose is the title of

Henry Arthur Jones' latest comedy. Margaret and has returned to The

out a Spotless Town show. George Ober, "just as young as I used to be," is playing on the Pacific coast in a Hoyt repertoire, A Temperance Town, A Midnight Bell, A Texas Steer, etc.

The death of John Queen in New York Sundcy came close to those of his brother minstrels, Billy West and Billy Emerson. Queen wrote and sang "Just Because She Made Those

Goo-Goo Eyes." It is somewhat remarkable that

OBSEQUIES.

district of Mexico. The Herald says: his day's work at 4:55 p. m. in the ley was held Thursday afternoon at the home of its parents on South street Mr. and Mrs. Granville O. Berry at 2:30 o'clek. Elder C. M. Sonmans entertained a party of young people of the Advent church officiated. Intables. Delicious refreshments were taker Oliver W. Ham had charge of

CONCORD. Concord, Feb. 27.

of bare ground showed through the speedway surface as the result of Wednesday's rain and the races which were to have been held yesterday afternoon were postponed. The annual meeting of the New ! Hampshire board of trade will be held n this city on the afternoon of Wednesday, March 12. In the evening

the Concord Commercial club will tender the delegates a banquet. ... John A. Dustane of this city and Miss Anna M. Jacobs of Roxbury, Vt., were united in marriage last evening by Rev. George H. Reed. They will reside in this city.

Penacook Park grange, West Concord held a Washington night colebration last evening.

FLORIDA AND CUBA.

The fast vestibuled, electric-lighted train service to the southern resorts, operated by the Plant system and connections, is unexce'led. Literature | com, C. of E.; Samuel R. Gardner, M. upon application to J. J. Farnsworth, of R.; George P. Knight. S. H. Eastern Passenger Agent of the Plant System at No. 290, Broadway, New

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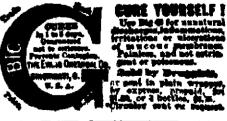
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What is to become of the egg market is a question that is receiving the careful attention of the local market men at the present time. All agree that the market must break before long or there will be no egg market at all. Eggs are selling today for forty cents a dozen. The reason for these high prices is the great scarcity of eggs, Boston being short hundreds of cases every day. The heavy storms in the west, together with the high price of grain, are said to be the main cause of the shortage, consequently the prevailing high prices.

The high prices of hen fruit has materially checked the demand and many of the local grocery dealers are not handling eggs.

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to 17,500 tons, and the walls are suf-

ing 32 feet to be taken on three feet

six inches keel blocks. Primarily it is

15,000 tons displacement with a

length of hearing keel of 343 feet, but,

in addition, it has to deal with cruis-

ers of the Terrible class, of somewhat

smaller displacements, but with 383

fect of bearing keel, and lastly auxil-

iary cruisers like the Campania,

weighing some 17,000 tons, with a

bearing length of keel of 502 feet. It

is evident, therefore, that great longi-

tudinal strength is necessary, since

while the dock has to deal with the

600 foot Campania, practically the

whole displacement of 545 feet long

pontoons have to be utilized to lift a

vessel bearing only on some 384 feet

of their length. Apart from this, the

fact that the dock, in its voyage out

to Bermuda, may have to encounter

the long rollers of the Atlantic also

makes it imperative that a very stiff

present one is a self docking-that is,

the sub-tropical sea of Bermuda.

it can lift all parts of itself out of

An electric light installation, with

its own generating plant, is provided

in one wall for lighting all the inter-

ior compartment of the dock, and in

addition twelve arc lamps are carried

on gallows on top of the towers, which

dock and ship, while further mains

are led along the dock's sides from

which hand lamps may be taken off

to light up any particular spot where

special work is being carried on A

very useful fitting for handling

weights either on the dock or ship

will will be found in the traveling

along the whole length of each wall.

The dock will remain in the Tyne un-

lit the fittings are completed, and in

the early spring it will be towed to

Chatham, where her trials will-stake

place, consisting in the lifting of a

selt-docking of her pontoons.

long voyage to Bermuda.

ing the Christmas holidays.

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The above closing will go into ef-

DELUGE IN GULF STATES.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 27.-The south-

eastern gulf states were deluged by

evening and the rainfall was almost a

What's the secret of happy, vigor-

ous health? Simply keeping the bow-

els and kidneys strong and activo.

firet class line of battleship, and the

After this she will start on her

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Portsmouth, N. H. Jan. 30, 1902.

We, the undersigned merchants of

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and will not rust.
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The following despatch shows the situation in other cities:

"The great increase is due to the scarcity of eggs throughout the eggproducing centers and the increased demand caused by the Lenten sea-

Commission merchants at Pittsburg nave been sending to all parts of the United States in hopes of relieving the situation, without results, and the chances are that they will be selling for \$1 a dozen before the end of the week.

At New York the price has jumped from 31 to 37 cents wholesale, and the chances are that they will be retailing there for 60 cents before the end of the week, for demand is increasing

At Philadelphia eggs are selling for ficient height to allow a vessel draw-40 cents wholesale, and the supply is not near enough to cover the demand. St. Louis, which is one of the big-

gest egg markets in the country, is selling eggs cheaper than at any point in the country, 31 cents wholesale being the market quotation Tuesday morning, but it is not expected that the price will remain at that figure long.

One prominent egg dealer said, that this shortage must be attributed to many causes. "In the first place it was so hot last summer that when the trains arrived hundreds of cases nad to be consigned to the dump. The poor condition of these eggs prompted the dealers to pull from their cold storage stock. Commencing so early with these eggs and with the early snows through New England and the West. which caused to the ground to freeze up, driving the hens indoors, their cold storages were pretty well drained. There are practically no eggs form of structure should be employed. in the entire country, at this time, Like the original Bermuda dock, the weat few there are being sent to the egg centers, where big prices can be commanded. In sending them there we experience a scarcity and consequently must must expect still higher prices to follow. Grain, which is way up, of course has considerable to do with the present prices, for producers rather than keep their hous and pay for the grain killed them off for the Thanksgiving and Christmas markets. light up when required the whole This is what made the poultry so cheap at that time. When the market does break it will undoubtedly reak quick. The prices, however, will hold up through Lent," he said.

LARGEST FLOATING DOCK.

Just Launched Across the Ocean and Soon to be in Use on this Side.

(From the London Telegraph.) The great floating dock, said to be the largest in the world, which has just been launched from the yard of the builders, Messrs. C. S. Swan & Hunter (Limited) of Walisend-on-Type, has been built to the order of the admiralty, and is to be placed in his Majesty's dockyard at Bermula, where it will replace the old floating dock that has been there since-1869, and which has now become obsolete, not through age, but through the insufficiency of its dimensions. It is interesting to make a comparison between the dimensions of the old and the present dock, for they show the great increase that there has been the size of the ships of the fleet. The old dock, like the present one, was designed with a view to accommodating the largest vessels that were then built or building. The length of the former was 381 feet all over, but to obtain its maximum gates were fitted which reduced its practical length to 330 feet. Its inside width was 84 feet between side walls, and its lifting power was 8,000 tons, which was sufficient for the ships of the Bellerophen class, to lift which it was especially designed although it was capable of bringing the keel out of the water of vessels up to 10,200 tons, the then heaviest ships, represented by the long, fully rigged line of battleships Agincourt and Minotaur.

The present dock is 545 feet long, and, having no gates, the length of ship it can take in is not restricted. Its clear width of entrance between rubbing fenders is 100 feet. Its lifting power up to the pontoon dock level in 15,500, but by utilizing the shallow pound this can be increased Burdock Blood Bitters does it. THE UNITED STATES MARINE.

(Metropolitan Magazine.) You kin blow about yer hero volun-

An' yer rough an' ready, stead infantree: You can sing about yer jackie an' kin cheer

Fer yer neat an' handy, dandy cavalree;

But of all the sojer men I ever knew.

An' of all the sailor men I ever

When there's fun or fuss or fight, the boy to keep in sight Is Billy Blue, United States mal having taken much interest in the

An' it hi Billy, Billy, Billy Blue! We think we've got a little job to

We expect to have a fight an' we want it started, right So we puts the startin' of it up to be a strong opposition to a pardon

you.

He's a sojer, he's a sailor, he's a

He's as much at home ashore as Mrs. Barrows. Many letters are behe's afloat:

He's as cozy in his crazy fightin' As the chaplain in his double

breasted coat; He kin ride a hoss as well as he kin row.

He kin shoot a gun as well as he pardon. kin swim;.

When there's trouble in the air Billy Blue is always there, An' you bet yer life it ain't too hot fer him. acted in the probate court of Rock-

So it's hi Billy, Billy Billy Blue! We think we've got a little job

built to lift the line of battleships of There's some sailors drunks ashore, won't come back aboard no

So we puts the bringin' of 'em up

His orficer is frequently a chap-Wot blowed his coin before he got his sense,

He kin hold a Shetland pony in his

An' his shoulders always seem to immense. P'r'aps his mathermatics ain't com-

P'r'aps there's sums he ain't

equal to. But fer fightin' fair and square-say! I'd sooner hug a bear

Then jump the man that nurses Billy Blue.

Then it's hi Cap'en, Major, Colonel Blue! We think we've got a little job

to do; water-a most necessary facility in There's a landin' to be made an'

bill as must be paid, An' there's no one kin collect it

When the Maine was blowin' up around his head, He stood there with his flipper

at salute While the skipper he was climbin' outer bed-

Oh, Billy, re're a darlin' ye're a beaut!

Wid the ships an' army anchored out to' sea, An' the greasers closin' in on

every side, and swinging electric canes which run He laid down snug an' tight, an' he learnt 'em how to fight.

> Till the fever came an' took him, then he died Oh, it's hi Billy, Billy, Billy Blue!

If wot the chaplain promises is true Of the brave man's great reward

when he goes to meet his Lord. I'd like to take my chanst along o' you.

HÓRRIBLE DEED.

Vermont Insane Man Drove Axe Into His Wife's Skull.

day except Saturday, the night preceding a holiday and the week preced-Wells, Vt., Feb. 27.- Aleck Ikey killed his wife with an axe today. HENRY PEYSER & SON. He was undoubtedly insane at the time. Mrs. Ikey, who had been watching her husband on account of his strange actions, unguardedly turned her back for an instant and Ikey. seizing an axe, drove the blade Into ber skull, killing her almost instantly.

NAVAL ORDERS.

These naval orders have been is-នបទនិះ

Commander J. H. Stevens, to navy yard, Mare Island, Cal., for special temporary duty.

Lieut. F. H. Brumby, from the Solace to the Olympia. Ensign C. H. Nelson and Ensign W.

rain last night and today. At Colum B. Tardy, from the Solace to home bus a bridge was swept away this and wait orders. Surgeon L W. Spratling, to Buffalo.

N. Y., to duty at naval recruiting rendezvous.

Surgeon H. LasLaw (retired) from the naval recruiting rendezvous, Buffalo, to home.

ONLY A SUBSESTION.

NOT UP TODAY.

some members of the council. The

case being a York county matter and

the people of that section of the state

question of pardoning Mrs. Barrows,

it is regarded as eminently proper to

allow the hearing to go over until Col.

Precott can be present and hear the

evidence or rather the reasons why a

When the case is heard there will

County Attorony Matthews will ap-

pear in person and he will be support-

ed by influential citizens of York

county to prevent the liberation of

ing received at the executive depart

ment earnestly protesting against a

Hon. John B. Donovan of Alfred.

who defended Mrs. Barrows at the

time of her trial and conviction in

1884, has charge of the application for

PROBATE COURT.

The following business was trans-

ingham county during the week end-

of Eliphalet W. Philbrick, East King-

ston, Frank T. Philbrick, administra-

tor; Hannah W. Gilmore, Exetor, R.

Dudley Burpee, administrator; Clar-

Deerfield, Arthur M. Chase adminis

trator, with will annexed; Elizabeth

Bailey, Salem, Fred O. Wheeler, ad-

Inventory returned-In estate of

Waiver of dower in estate-Mary

Account rendered-In estates of

Isaac H. Morrison, Deerfield; Stephen

Green, Kensington; Lewis L. Lam-

prey, Exeter; Mcses C. Page, Wind-

Will filed-Of Mary Abbie Sanborn,

Receipts filed-In estates of Lewis

Lamprey, Exeter; Stephen Green,

Guardian appointed-Angle L Wig-

Trustee appointed-Frederick M

Appraises appointed-In estate of

License granted-To sell real es-

tate property in estate of Nester W.

Tuttle, Stratham; Franklyn O. Bad-

ger, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Nathan Pulsi-

fer, Peerfield; to sell personal prop-

erty in estate of Isaac H. Morrison,

Deerfield; to sell stocks and bonds in

estate of Laura J. Leeman, Exeter.

License returned-In estate of Wil-

ham J. Knowles, North Hampton;

Petition for insolvency granted-In

estate of Isaac H. Morrison, Deerfield.

Commissioner's notice filed-In es-

tates of Dexter B. Brown, Candia;

Charles B. Leavitt, Northwood: Jo-

Allowance to widow granted-In es-

Trustee resigned - Henry H.

Sprague under the will of Hannah F.

Commissioner's report accepted-

In estate of Lewis E. Kimball North-

VANCED.

ton Board of Fire Underwiters this af-

is to be about twenty-five per cent.

tate of Stephen Atwood, Epping.

William F. Chase, commissioner.

Charles B. Sargent, Newton.

anna S. Bean, Brentwood.

Libbey of Portsmouth.

Laura B. Rowe, Kensington.

gin over Fred Wiggin, Newmarket.

ham; Stephen Brown, Kensington.

Rebecca Killin, Portsmouth.

pardon should be granted.

pardon being granted.

ing Feb. 27:

with will annexed.

W. Bradley, Plaistow.

Brentwood.

Kensington.

Portsmouth.

Mrs. Barrows Will Not Se Heard on But it Has Proven of Interest and Her Pardon Petition Yet. . Value to Thousands.

The regular monthly meeting of the Common sense would suggest that if one wishes to become fleshy and governor and council of Maine will be plump it can only result from the food held at four o'clock this afternoon. we eat and digest, and that food As councillor Prescott is out of the should be albuminous or flesh-forming food, like eggs, beefsteak and cereals; state and will not be present at this in other words, the kind of food that meeting, it is expeced that the pardon make flesh are the foods which form case of Mary E. Barrows will not be the greater part of our daily bills of heard at this session. At all events, this seems to be the impression of

But the trouble is that while we eat



enough and generally too much, the stomach, from abuse and overwork does not properly digest and assimilate it, which is the reason so many people remain thin and under weight; the digestive organs do not completely digest the flesh-forming beefsteak and eggs and similar wholesome food.

There are thousands of such who are really confirmed dyspeptics, although they may have no particular pain or inconvenience from their stom-

If such persons would lay their prejudices aside and make a regular practice of taking, after each meal one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tabk(s the food would be quickly and thoroughly digested, because these tablets contain the natural peptones and disastase which every weak stomach lacks, and by supplying this want the stomach is soon enabled to regain its natural tone and vigor. Administration granted-In estates

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STATE NEWS.

Temple schools are closed until April 1.

Bluebirds were seen in Amherst Feb. 14. Coos town debt has been reduced

Milford wants another rural free delivery route. Sise in estate of Hannah F. Libby,

A Woman's Relief corps has been instituted at Groveton.

The Dr. Latimer place at Amherst has been sold to M. F. Crosby of Miltoid.

The Milford Improvement society made \$67 on its course of entertainnents. Lawrence Littlehale of Wentworth

Location recently cut his hand painfully upon an axc. Perisis, widow of Joseph B. Wilson

versary of her birth. Married, in Crystal, Feb. 15, George H. Jonse of that place and Victoria M.

Kelley of West Milan. Mr. and Mrs. Xenaphon E. Mills of Milford observed the 57th anniversary

of their marriage Feb. 16. Henry Wheeler died in Milford Feb. 15, aged 63 years. He was born in Amherst the third son of Timothy W. and

Mercy Foster. Mrs. Paulina M. Lowell, for many years station agent at Mason Center,

died Feb. 9, in Marlboro, Mass., aged seventy-one years. Thomas Jess, one of Milford's repre-FIRE INSURANCE RATES AD-

sentatives in the Eighteenth N. H. Vols., in the War of the Hebellion, dred at the Soldiers' Home, Togus, Boston, Mass., Feb. 27.-The Bos-Me., Feb. 15.

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COVER.

The police searched the grocery store of Patrick Dillon on Central avenue, yesterday afternoon, on spirituous and malt liquor complaints sworn out by George W. Benn. No liquor or either kind was found. Two other grocery stores, those of James McKenna and John J. McCann, on Central avenue, were also searched on complaints sworn out by Mr. Benn. A bottle of lager was found at Mc-Kenna's, but nothing was found at

At a meeting of retail clerks Wednesday evening a preliminary organzation was formed for the purpose of establishing a branch of the Retail Clerks' International protective association. Simon J. Griffin of Springfield, Mass., international organizer, was present. William J. Kerwick was chosen temporary president.

The P. A. C. "first part" setting will e a beautiful picture.

INVITED TO VISIT LA ROCHELLE.

Paris, Feb. 27.—The mayor of La Rochelle has written to Secretary Long, inviting the American squadron which is to go to England upon the occasion of the coronation of King Edward, to visit La Rochelle.

Scrofula is a bad thing to inherit or acquire, but there is this about it-Hood's Sarsaparilla completely cures even the worst cases.

O'DONOVAN ROSSA DYING.

Colorado Springs, Feb. 27 -- O'Denovan Rossa, the celebrated Feainn agitator, is dying at the St. Francis hospital of blood poisoning. At noon an operation was performed, the large toe of the left foot being taken off. The attending physicians announce but slight hopes of recovery.

.Ronoyre and Tafe with the P. A. C. minstrels do one of the best comedy and "straight" acrobatic turns in the "varieties."

THE BARCELONA RIOTS.

Caused by Increased Taxes, Mixed With Revolutionary Politics.

The Barcelona rlots, though partly due to recent increase of taxation on the necessities of life, are in the main political and revolutionary, says the New York Herald. The last trouble was largely a manufactured one, supported by two wealthy Catalan bankers and nourished by the republican press. In common with the rest of Spain, Barcelona, and, indeed, all Catalonia, must submit to serious griev- Most Useful and Acceptable Holiday GL." ances, but it is at least doubtful whether they have any better panacea than endurance.

To separate themselves from the mother country can only be possible as the outcome of a civil war that would appropriately destroy the main cause of their desire for separation-their wealth. .

The Spanish government, with finger on the pulse of every important movement, is of opinion that the Barcelona troubles are partly artificial, and the association of the polsy element with the anarchists puts an end to all chance of a change in the government's attitude.

The ministry of finance is endeavoring to bring the peseta into line with the franc. To effect the improvement old taxes must be enforced rigorously. possibly new ones will be found necessary, the previous octroi duties will remain unabated, and protection will be of Mason, died Feb. 7th, the 76th anni- maintained in spite of the growing section of the community that would favor free trade.

> Travelers' Paradise. Nice and its neighborhood hold the record for holiday traffic. The record is 2,800,000 arrivals in the course of a vent.

> A method of quickly rendering glass transparent during the process of manufacture consists in forcing into the melted materials a stream of oxygen gas, the enormous heat generated oxidizing all deleterious materials.

Pig Power. In some of the farming districts of China pigs are harnessed to small wagons and made to draw them.

The Cabbage Cure.

Cabbage is an old cure for drunkenness. The Egyptians ate it boiled before their other food if they intended to drink wine after dinner, and some of the remedies sold as a preventive of intoxication on the continent are said to contain cabbage seed.

Vacciuation. Physicians say that if vaccination does not "take" it does not prove that the person vaccinated is immune from smallpox. One may be immune from vaccination or smallpox this week and not the next, today and not tomorrow, this morning and not this afternoon.

Iron Wire. Iron can be drawn into thinner wire than any other metal except gold.

Weelly Reress. Pliny the older mentions a breed of horses "from a land far to the north of Lybia" which was distinguished on accoupt of a woolly mane which extended from between the ears to the root of

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By her attorney, EDWARD H. ADAMS, Dated at Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 7, 1902.

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WO ENGINEERING DIFFICULTIES.

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From San Francisco to St. Petersburg by rail in twelve days! Around the world in parior cars, with no more of a water voyage than a thirty mile transfer across Bering strait in enormous steel lighters.

This is the trip promised within five years, for there are in New York, Seattle, Denver and Washington capitalists, engineers and explorers who have completed the preliminary work and have arranged to start building the Transalaskan railroad on April 15, says the New York World. This line, which will be 850 miles in length, will open up one of the richest countries in the world, but more interesting and spectacular than that is the certainty of its making what will be practically an all rail route to Asia.

F. S. Granger, a Seattle capitalist, who was for many years connected with the Burlington road, and J. C. Cornforth of Denver and Skaguay have spent the past five years solving the preliminary problems of the project, and among some of the other men associated with them are Harry Josephs of Denver, J. K. Frye of Denver, formerly general manager of the Santa Fe railroad; General A. L. New of Washington, first vice president and general manager of the Continental and Pacific Wireless Telegraph and Telephone company, and S. L. Selden of Washington, general counsel of the new company.

"It would have sounded like a Jules Verne dream thirty years ago," said Mr. Granger the other day, "but it presents no engineering difficulties, not half the difficulties of building a subway in New York. The plan as adopted provides for a single track road from Illiamna bay, inside of Cook's inlet, to Port Ciarence, on Bering strait, to connect on this side with steamers of the Transalaskan rallway running from Scattle and on the other with steel ferries to make a direct connection with the Transsiberian rall-

way. "Feasible? Not only feasible, but practical and profitable. In 1907 one can go from San Francisco to St. Petersburg or Paris in twelve or thirteen days. The old world and the new will be brought together, and great mineral and agricultural lands will be thrown open, and greater wealth than one dreams of will be resped by the nation. "Our engineers have reported that GIBSON'S XXXX or PURE RYE the streams to be bridged offer no dif-\$3 to gal: FINCA'S GOLDEN WED ficulties, and we set five years as the

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Peatures of a New Cult Practiced In Berlin.

Berlin is eloquent in preaching a new gospel of health. It is based on the sun bath, says the New York World. Eunshine, according to the new cult. is the real elixir of life, and the only way for civilized folk to get the benefit of it is to take generous baths in which sunshine rather than water is the purifying agent.

With this in view, many of the most prominent young men in Berlin have formed a club which holds its meetings in a house in the suburbs which has an exceptional exposure to the sun.

Here these sun bath enthusiasts congregate every few days and in modified indoor athletic costumes engage in all kinds of merry rough and tumble sports in full glare of the sunshine. Whatever statistics may ultimately prove as to the club members' increase in health, they at all events have a thoroughly good time out of these exercises of their own devising.

Machine For Painless Dentistry. express district we cen fill and forward "Destined to prove one of the most wonderful inventions of the age" is the way in which Thomas A. Edison speaks of a little electric machine invented by Thomas W. McCue of Akron, O. Mr. McCue took it to Edison's home, and the great electrician gave it a thorough study and test. The miachine does away with all pain in dentistry, and while no attempt has been made to apply it to surgery Mr. McCue is confident of its ultimate success there, says the Chicago Chronicle. He describes its operation as "short circulting, the pain and preventing it and I am glad to know that the organifrom reaching the brain. It reduces the current to a hundred thousandth of a volt, a result which electricians have claimed could not be achieved.

Even Boer Bables Pight. One of the most surprising incidents of the present war in South Africa is every part of the United States, and reported in this case of the death of Private Herbert Harold Hughes, First King's Dragoon guards, whose widow lives at Dover, says the London Times. The affair occurred at Orebytontein. near Harrismith, Orange River Coloby, on Nov. 9, 1901, Captain E. A. Williams, First King's Dragoon guards, being among those who lost their lives. The small force was skirmishing when a Boer boy, afterward found to be only six years of age, walked un to Private Hughes and when close to him deliberately shot him in the abdonien with a revolver he had conconted, the wound proving fatal on Nov. 10.

Indian Corn Advocated as a Fitting Symbol.

STRONG CLAIMS PRESENTED.

Mrs. George Cabot Wayd Suggests That the Federation of Women In America Should Work For Its Adoption-Says Some Action Should De Taken Before Thanksglving.

"The time is ripe, I think, for the United States to adopt a national emblem, and the history of our country points to the Indian corn, or maize, as entitled to that distinction," said Mrs. George Cabot Ward the other day to a reporter of the New York Tribune in discussing the claims of various flowers that have been mentioned in this connection.

"The reasons for choosing the corn are so final that it seems to me impos. sible that any one who has heard them should consider for a moment a proposition to adopt a flower, however beautiful," continued Mrs. Ward. "Corn formed the principal article of food for the early settlers, and but for it they would have died of starvation. It is a divine gift, for God never gave it to any other country, this being the only one to which it is indigenous. Although it will grow anywhere, it is distinctively of American origin and has doubtless grown here for ages."

Flowers, Mrs. Ward thought, might be beautiful and appropriate for state emblems in the localities where they have a special significance in counection with the history of the state, but no flower, she said, could bring forward claims that would entitle it to become untional in its symbolism. One of the strongest points advanced in favor of the cern is that it can be grown with equal facility in all portions of the United States.

"It grows from ocean to ocean and from the lakes to the gulf." said Mrs. Ward in this connection. "It is said that only persons who have visited the south and the west can realize what a powerful factor it is in our civilization, nourishing as it does in both bot and cold climates. The harvests of the corn are the glory of our country.

"Another point in its favor as compared with any flower is that our great country should have a life sustaining emblem. People come liere from every country in the world to earn their llyng, and think of the benefit it is to the poor, for as a food it is within the reach of all."

In Plymouth the people have a custom by which they commemorate the sufferings of the pilgrims and at the same time acknowledge their debt of gratitude to the corn. When Forefathers' day is observed, they hold a dinner, and each guest finds laid beside his plate a few grains of the parched corn to which the first settlers owed so much.

Advocates of the Indian corn feel assured that it will only be a matter of time before its claims are acknowledged. In nutriment it is ranked next to wheat and rice. The early settlers subsisted on it, with the occasional addition of salt pork. Mush and milk was considered a wholesome dict, and samp was looked upon as a delicacy. The coarse comment required only the addition of water and salt to be baked into a light and sweet tasting bread.

A recent speaker before the National Society of New England Women referred with the greatest enthusiasm to the homely fare of those days, saying that samp cooked as our grandmothers used to prepare it was a dish which for fine flavor and delicacy could not be exceeded by the cooks of today.

The Pueblos esteemed corn as the most valuable gift from the gods, and quaint legends are connected with their history of its origin. Longfellow in "The Song of Hiawatha" refers to it as "this new gift of the Great Spirit." Whittier in "The Corn Song" extols its beauty and usefulness, and other poets have written in its praise.

To decoration on marble, bronze or any metal it is especially well adapted. say those who have seen it put to this use. It appears sculptured on several pillars of our national capitol, and its sharply defined outlines would, it is said, reproduce effectively on our cur-

rency. Mrs. Ward expressed the conviction that if women would agitate its adoption Indian corn would in a short time become the national emblem.

"The matter has been allowed to drift too long," said Mrs. Ward. "The women of America should arouse to their duty in this matter and lend their ufluence to have some definite steps taken. The National Society of New England Women has given the Indian corn a consplenous place on its badge, zalion appreciates its importance.

I understand that at the blennial to be held in Los Angeles this spring ciubwomen from all over the United States will be represented. There could be no better opportunity than that to bring the matter before women from any sectors they might take would at tract widespread attention. Some steps should be taken before next Thanksgiving day, and when we give thanks for the blessings of the year the Indian corn should be acknowledged as one of the greatest of these."

Househout florel. A company is about to open a house boat hotel at Abbazia, on the Adriatic. The floating hatel, according to the Indianapolls News, will have accommodations for 100 guests. It is also to be Scaworthy, so that the visitor can be treated to a trip on the Adriatic from time to time.

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BAMBLING BY CONGRESSMEN Very Little Now Compared With

Olden Times. As a matter of fact, there is little or no gambling now in the capitol compared with the conditions of years ago. There used to be a time when certain committee rooms were the rendezvous for poker players, and the games were generally without limit.

Many senators and representatives do not object to a little game now, but they play in the evening and not at the capitol. There were poker stories galore around the capitol in the olden days. One incident became a classic. There was a party in the room of a southern congressman, and the game ran high. A western member opened a jack pot, and the southerner, who was upon his left, came in, together with two other congressmen. The westerner stood pat, whereupon the southerner discarded two cards. The betting began and soon became so swift that only the southerner and the westerner remained. Finally the latter called his colleague, and the hands were shown.

The westerner had opened the pot on four kings. As soon as he stood put the southerner broke a pair of sixes and held the four, five and six of spades in his hand, hoping against hope to make a spade flush. He was dealt the seven and eight of spades, making a straight flush.

The western member didn't say a word when he learned what had happened, but it was noticeable that he didn't touch a card again during that session.-Washington Post.

A Kitten's Intelligence.

A hungry kitten was put into a cage, the door of which would fall open when a loop of wire that hing in front of the cage was pulled down an inch. The kitten tried to squeeze between the bars, clawed and bit at them, thrust its paws out between the bars and clawed at various loose objects in the cage. It clawed the loop several times, but not with enough force to pull it down. After 160 seconds of such activity, it happened to claw the loop hard enough, and so escaped.

After it had eaten the food outside. it was put into the box again. There was a repetition of the same activities, but the successful movement came this time after thirty seconds. On the next trial, general activity for ninety seconds was required before the kitten eseaped. With repeated trials the association between the interior of the box and the act of clawing at the loop became fixed, so that finally the kitten would do it in a few seconds—that is, as soon as put into the box.

This progress is shown in the times taken in the different trials. They were 160, 30, 90, 60, 15, 23, 20, 30, 22, 11, 15, 20, 12, 10, 14, 10, 8, 8, 5, 10, 8, 6, 6 and 7 seconds.-Professor E. L. Thorndike in International Montbly.

A Scotch Antigolf Law.

Scotland, as everybody knows, is the land where golf originated and the land where it most flourishes. But if the law were strictly enforced north of the Tweed it would go hard with the players of the royal game in "Bonnie Scotland." Golf players there may not know it, but they are liable to a sentence of death for their indulgence in their favorite sport. Technically, this is literally a fact. In ancient times, when Scotland always had work for her soldiers to do, all young men were required to perfect themselves in archery. They preferred to play golf, and so serious a rival did the game become that it was for a time suppressed and made a capital offense. That curious law never has been repealed and may still be found on the statute book There seems to be no record, however, the law ever having been enforced.

To Prince Henry. [When Frederick, the father of Henry vas on his deathbed, he wrote, being un able to speak, what may be freely translated as follows: "You have never given me a moment's sorrow. You will be a son. The semark was addressed to

Prince Henry.] Here's welcome to you, Henry dear, A prince of noble gentlemen; We'll drink your health in German beer, And then we'll drink it back again. Here's to your lady and your suite And to the new aristocrat, The Meteor, of all the fleet-

German-American at that.

Sure we have planned a time for you, With noise enough to make you mad, And if you live the revel through You'll earn your welcome here, my lad We can't forget the loving praise

And so we say, "Luck grace your days"
And then at last, "God save you, sir," With bangers flaunting far and free, With cannon booming fit to kill, We great the friend from over sea. And cheer him with a merry will, A prince of noble gentlemen,

Where can you find a better one? Here's welcome to Prince Henry, then,

A Banish Officer Talks of Our Battle-ships and Subvision Beats.

ture at the institute has made a reputation for itself in the last few years, and the coming of the naval cadets has correspondingly broadened and strengthened it. Thus, by permission of the Danish government, a European naval officer of distinction. Commander William Hovgaard of the royal Danish navy, has joined the department as professor of naval design, with a special eye to the requirements of the Annapolis cadets. Moreover, Commander Hovgaard has been recently expressing himself very interestingly on American naval matters. In particular he has a good word to say for our new battleships and approves the present tendency in this country to make such vessels larger and more powerful.

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interesting to most readers.

battleship any less important. It is and with this power we are limited to do effective patrol service at a distance

GASTRONOMIC MARVEL.

Will Take Twenty Hours to Boil.

United States. Many visitors to the "Cheshire" are clamoring to see the famous million-

Novel Philippine Relic. A unique relic of Lieutenant Gillmore's captivity and rescue in the Philippines was shown by General Eugene Griffin at the recent dinner of the officers of the First regiment of volunteer engineers, Spanish war veterans, says the New York Tribune. This was the American flag which was made by the sallors in Lieutenant Gillmore's party out of patches and strips of their clothing. The rescue party commanded by Colonel Hare made a brilliant march, lasting over five weeks, and surmount ed difficult obstacles in their progress. They found Lieutenant Gillinore and his men abandoned, without food or arms, by the insurgents in the wildest part of Luzon, among the head bunters, where their fate would have been in doubt only for a few hours if the rescue party had not arrived so opportunely. In spite of the fact that all of them were half naked they had sacrisubstitute for the regular stars and

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OUR NEW WARBHIPS.

Heretofore the American naval constructors who have been respensible for the speed, the stanchness, the safety and the fighting power of our warships have been educated abroad, for the simple reason that there were no American schools to which they might go for a proper training. With this year, bowever, naval cadets intended for the construction corps are being sent from Annapolis to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in Bos-

The department of naval architec-

But, he adds, "with the development of the battleship as a very costly and powerful unit there is an even greater demand for an auxiliary fleet of cruisers which shall keep in constant touch with an enemy and allow the heavyweight fighters to choose their battleground. The government that can afford to build first class seagoing battle ships can best afford to surround such expensive structures with a

Commander Hovgaard's opinion of the submarine boat will be even more

"As the development of the battleship does not render the auxiliary craft unnecessary," he says, "so the development of an entirely new weapon, the submarine boat, does not make the true that there has been a popular impression that it was useless to build costly battleships which could be completely destroyed by comparatively inexpensive submarine boats, but this opinion, it seems to me, is based on a lack of knowledge of the real limitations of the submarine boat. As far as we have learned, the best power for submarine propulsion is electricity, a total radius of action of about fifty miles-that is, the submarine boat can of ten to twenty miles from shore and still be able to return, which makes it a useful weapon in keeping a blockading squadron out of range. In twentyfive years no essential improvement as regards weight and bulk has been made in the storage of electric energy, and until an improvement is made in this respect or some radically new means of power is discovered subma rine boats will be available only for the defense of ports and landlocked harbors and cannot at all affect the importance of the seagoing battleship."

Charles Schwab's Monster Pudding

The twenty-five hundred dollar beefsteak pudding which Charles M. Schwab ordered of the "Ancient Cheshire Cheese" in Fleet street, London, will be ready for shipment as soon as the confirmatory order has been received. The cost of the pudding includes Proprietor Moore's traveling expenses to the United States. The pudding will consist of 100 larks, 100 kidneys, 100 oysters, one for each of the hundred millionaires who, it is reported, Schwab has invited to dine, says the New York Journal. It takes twenty hours to boll the "Cheshire cheese" puddings. Mr. Schwab's will be boiled ten hours in London and another ten preparatory to being served in the

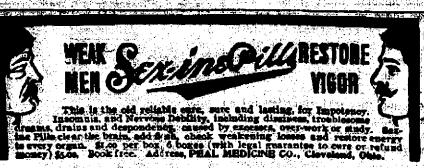
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The Monogram Stocking.

ogram stocking, says the March Woman's Home Compunion. The stocking is preferably black, in liste thread or silk. In the front just above the ankle is a diamond shaped inset of black net. and upon this the monogram is embrokered. The letters may be worked in black slik or in whatever color the wearer may choose. The rest of the stocking is perfectly plain.

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FIRST LADY OF CUBA.

Interesting Facts About General Palma's Wife and Family.

A writer in the March Woman's Home Companion gives the following interesting facts about the wife and children of General Palma, the first president of Cuba: The family of General Palma is an

interesting one. He has six children, four boys and two girls. Senora Estrada has borne up remarkably under the strain that the wife of a fighting patriot is always under. She has no fads or fancies. Her world is the four story frame house in Central Valley, N. Y., that has sheltered the family for eighteen years and seen the birth of five of her children. Whether or not there is some sentimentality attached to this latter fact the truth is that Senora Estrada would rather remain in this unpretentions home than JOHN PENDER occupy the palatial palace in Havana and shine as the first lady of Cuba. She possesses to a great degree those Latin race characteristics devotion to husband and love of offspring. The great social responsibilities that will devolve upon her in the position she is to occupy after May 1 she fears may interfere with her share of bringing up her children as good men and women. The latter are good looking and sturdy children. Jose, the oldest, is nineteen years old. He was born in Honduras and came here when a year old. He is a law student at Columbia university. When at home, Jose acts as secretary for his father. Tomas, Jr., is

refers to as his baby. General Palma became acquainted with Senorita Guardiola, whose father had been president of the republic of Honduras twenty years ago. She was his prettiest daughter, courted and feted and with the proverbial thousand suitors at per feet. Senorita Guardiola was a sympathetic listener to the tales of hardships under the Spanish rule which the brave general narrated. Even today in talking of these tranquil days of his wooing following the years of condict he quotes, "She loved me for the dangers I had passed, and I loved her that she did pity them."

seventeen and attends a school at New-

burg, as does his sister Candelaria,

who is fourteen. The three youngest

are Carlos and Luz, twins of seven

years, and Rafael, six, who the father

MRS. R. E. FOSTER'S WORK

What the "Tombs Angel" Did For Women.

No one will know half that the late

Mrs. Rebecca Elliott Foster, the "Tombs Angel," did for women. Hers was a work that carried with it many uppleasant experiences, yet she always felt she was amply repaid because of several homes she could point to in New York and other cities that never would have been had it not been girl who afterward became the re spected wife, says the New York Press. In three cases women desired to name girl bables after her. "Don't," slie said. "I am too well known. Perhaps in some years to come the little one might wonder why she was named for me. Some one might associate the name. It might require explanations. It might some time cause the little one to think and ask questions which you couldn't answer truthfully without hurting both yourself and the little onc." From her slender income Mrs. Foster gave many a dollar that went where there was no record of it save in the heart of the beneficiary and on the book of the recording angel.

PINGPONG DANCE IN VOGUE

Skill In Picking Up Balls at Silken Net Secures the Favored Pariner. A pingpong dance in which the ladies wear pingpong patches and powdered hair is the latest development of the present mania, according to a special cable dispatch from London to the New York Herald.

The ladies, carrying white balls, with n red number on each, and each gentleman a scarlet ball, with a corresponding figure in white, walk down the ballroom and meet at a silken net. fixed enough clothing to make up a fair Batting begins. As soon as each dancer secures a ball the numbers are called out, pairing off begins, and the couples gilde down the room hand in hand in

minuet style. The latest rival of pingpong, by the way, is table bowls, which has just been exhibited at the Alexandra pal-

Australia May Maye a Ravy, Australia wants to form an Australasian navy as an auxiliary to the British sea forces. A naval reserve will first be established.

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SEROLD SUGGESTIONS.

ie of Advise Begarding Light and Ventilation in the Home.

country house which was built ime ago, and which is near to the city to receive frequently olitan guests, a big, old-fashhall stove warms the large hall, glass front imparting a thorcheerful air to the place. This ound almost heresy, and the of the anathemas hurled against rtistic coal stoves by the aposthe aesthetic a few years ago are be heard, but the fact remains houses lacking steam or fureat these atoves are much greatensers of comfort than open nd their glow, even transmitted mica, is by no means unattracys the New York Post.

rror which the inexperienced urnisher often makes is to put ds of different tones in rooms en into each other. A hall, pervill have terra cotta on the walls, ere will be red in the diningo which it leads. This is wrong. legative color on the hall, a tone or mastic with a small broken in self-tones, that there may be gestion of strong contrast to of the adjoining room. If blue used in the dining-room, not too yellow may be put on the hall. ese jarring arrangements in adrooms that may destroy wholly ct in either apartment that by itproperly complemented would gether charming.

lights and ventilation of her are points which the modern s, planning an entertainment lly considers. A glare of light, dinner, is to be avoided, alan arrangement that leaves the about a table in actual twilight treely distinguishable to one anicross the board is an extreme to be omitted. At a reception week the hostess, who received was a picture as she stood in her g-room, the firelight from an re a little back and at one side through a glass screen on her alk gown, while from side lights r shaded, a mellow radiance, beto all who entered it, filled the ient. As the guests passed on his room, which is hung in silken y of a rose hue, a library of magproportions and superbly fit mahogany and tones of green tered, the light of which, though bdued, was more abundant, and big fireplace the red and yellow leaped and sparkled with brilffect. Through a wide entrance, was practically the whole end of ty and spacious room, the third ient, the tea-room was reached, re again the lighting was skillnanaged to concentrate on the and crystal of the beautifully table, yet bring out the warm the tapestried walls and illumine h carvings of the old English oak ue. Probably everyone present d the beautiful effect of each but only a few perhaps noticed

g and leaving unlighted. E KEPT ONE SECRET.

iting Sketch of a Woman Who hibited a Life-Long Dislike of Dates.

one secret that women know keep is, according to unkind that of their age. They will erything else that is intrusted r keeping, but never, even in a it of expansive indiscretion, will e induced to reveal the number r years, says the Baltimore

ourse, this isn't always true. feminines tell their ages and of their women friends with as reedom as their brothers would te same intelligence concerning slves, but one elderly lady who y died was, in the matter of veness, a marvel to her ac-

ne except her own brothers and knew her age. Her husband t, though she was married to years or more. When the marlicense had to be bought the ouchsafed the information that s "more than 18." That was all; hard-hearted best man put her is 25 years of age.

ie years that followed she never of her birthdays. Once, when is asked if she were born in she replied that she didn't rer. The natal days of others in mily were celebrated, but hers She would talk well on any t in the world but ages; on this e was absolutely dumb.

re she expired she made a sinjuest of her husband." "Please illow any dates to appear in the ry notices or on any tombshe asked. "I don't like dates." so her secret died with her, and, i her women friends surmised he must be at least ten years han her husband to justify this veness, it is quite possible that is nothing of the sort. She did ok it. She merely had a horror

was, of course, a very unusual mt it is sufficient evidence that ian can keep a secret and she

ag reminded of the passage of

Love's Dream Cake.

whites of six eggs, one and If cups of sugar (granulated), cup of butter, two cups of ed cake flour, two teaspoonbaking powder, one teaspoonvanilla. Cover with bolled -Good: Housekeeping.

The Unexpected.

ing quees one of a possible ten me's own fault when the unex- tousted biscuit or brown-bread sandhappens,-Chicago Daily News, | wiches,-N. Y. Post,

FASHIOFABLE FARCIES. Divers Bita of Founitains Singer That

Lond Attractiveness to the

Season's Contumes.

Sterling silver belts, richly pierced and chased, made with jointed sections to render them flexible, are

worn with evening gowns. White camelias are a very popular flower in millinery, and gardenias rank next in order, as they resemble the former in their peculiar whiteness and general style.

We may look for ends at the back of our hats when the spring styles come in. In fact, they are in evidence already on the fur hats as well as those of lighter materials. Little frills of lace or chiffon with lace ends fall in the hair from the side of the back, giving a pretty; graceful outline, says a fashion authority.

Mohair grenadines, very sheer, with white grounds patterned with different delicate colors in a silky design, are conspicuous among the new ma-

Collars of real Bruges guipure lace, in white and ecru, are wide, and extend over the shoulders and part way down the back. They can be worn dresses.

A novelty is an evening blouse of tucked chiffon made over silk, which Massachusetts." One letter was adcomes ready to wear in many light shades. It is low-necked and sleeveless, and has a garniture of flowers to perary, was addressed to "Knongy to, I rived, she found her voice had gone: match.

One of the most comfortable breakwith a loose front and fitted back. are embroidered with colored silk. These garments come in several colors, Rhode Island." and breakfast gowns in the same efcontrasting colors.

head in front, are the latest idea for made of velvet, gold or silver leaves.

fon, which, wadded, of course, forms | crate Italian's attempt at the sounds the foundation, and the frills as well, which Americans write "New Jersey." The scarf twists around the center. and ties m a knot and ends, fastened with a bunch of flowers or a handsome buckle.

The fashion of decorating neckwear with flowers has been revived, and for this purpose a great variety of small blossoms, including heliotropes, vio-These are fastened in tiny clusters at the side or back of the stock collar Przeczaw would read aloud the line

HOME SCIENCE FOR WOMEN.

Domestic Training Should Include an Elementary Preparation in the High School,

The life work of the great majority of women will always be in the home. This does not mean, of course, that she is necessarily to be a wife or a mother—though this will be true of the great majority of women. But i uch of it was due to judiciously the children for the world-mean- have occurred before home-making to satisfy the young band had been convicted of forgery. woman that her time is not being

cured at the home; the conditions of the other. modern home life and of social life filled their apprentice list, so it is im- house stood in Missouri and Arkanpossible for a mother to train her sas. daughters as they were once trained

Good Housekeeping. The elements of this work should be done in the high school, precisely as not a common criminal. He had been the elements of manual training are a prominent politician in Missouri, placed there for the boy. But the and notwithstanding his one misstep higher forms of the work should he was a man of high notions of honor. be taken up during the college course, The reason why Gov. Stewart imposed in which they need not absorb more exile in the pardon was due to the than one-quarter of the entire time, fact that the man had bitterly op-It is not at all difficult to determine posed Stewart's candidacy, what studies may be very profitably elided from the curriculum to give story to tell you that when the exile place for this work; it is somewhat was taken sick he made his wife promwork shall be carried.

That the educators of this country bouse." will find a way to do this intelligently and efficiently goes without saying. They will find a way, without overloading the present curriculum, and without introducing work that in any respect falls below college standards.

A Dainty Dish.

A nut salad at this season of the year is particularly welcome and suitable. Almost any kind of nuts may be chosen, though they should preferably be chiefly English walnuts. Cut them in halves or in quarters, and squeeze lemon juice, over them for fully a quarter of an hour before dressing the salad. Mix them then with half their quantity of quartered olives and a few of the small tender celery leaves, tossing all in a little mayonnaise that has been somewhat thinned with cream. Serve with

HARD TO DECIPHER.

Post Office Clerks Are Given Much Trouble by Foreigness Schling Letters to This Country.

So many blindly addressed detters. come through the post office that in the larger cities special clerks are fice has special pride in its work, and difficult problems and clever solu-

Foreigners give the most troubic. The envelope, for example, addressed to "Spencer, Insea," where "Insea" stands for the initials N. C., is not likely to have been mailed by a native American; and the same is true of the envelope inscribed "W Hobokniy," in very bad German script, meaning "West Hoboken;" and of that marked "Ancram Lead, Kalambi Costy," for "Ameram Lead Mines, Columbia County, New York."

A triumphant piece of "blind" reading reduced a trackless imple of big with evening gowns or reception and little letters to "192 NoRtH sti Re Eti bostock Massa," and interpreted it as "192 North street, Boston, dressed to "Fedvelteneszi," "Fayette- But the owner had a severe cold and ville, Tennessee." Another, from Tip-1 the weather was bad, when she ar "To and Over Street, Sailing," on a per. fast jackets is of guilted silk, made lietter from Ballymote, Ireland, meant! At once her former little caller came "2 Andover Street, Salem, Massachu-The rolling collar, sleeves and border setts." Also from Ireland came "Cranston Royal Irish," "Cranston,

An important point in softring the fect are worn over silk petticoats of problem of the foreign writer's intention is a knowledge of the sound White blies, one at each side of the values which the characters he writes would be likely to bear for him inthe bridal coiffure, while for general dividually. A man who has become evening wear pretty decorations are accurately familiar with Italian sounds sees at a glance that "Negro-Old-fashioned Spanish lace scarfs si," with the Italian values to the are used for muffs, made up with chif- letters, exactly represents an illit-

On an envelope with a Russian stamp "Kreenpoynp" means "Greenpoint," for the Russian mouth is apt to substitute a labial for a dental consonant, and a K for a guitural G. Again, there is the wonderful postmark "Pizeczaw" on a letter to "M s Karolina Janowska." One who has lets and small roses, can be obtained. listened carefully to either Russian or Polish talk knows how a man of which follows the name "Tu wody tu is Chander Ten stryt;" it would sound something very like "Two forty-two East Hundred Tenth Street," which proved to be what was in-

STRANGE CASE OF EXILE.

Pardoned Convict Who Lived in a House Built on the State Line for His Benefit.

"I read a story the other day, said whether as wife, or daughter, or sis- a William street lawyer, according to ter, or even when living alone-she the New York Sun, "of the death in will be the homemaker. The great Memphis of an ex-convict who had natural division of labor, to which been pardoned by the governor of anthere may be many exceptions, is this; other state on condition that he that the men prepare the world for should never return to the state. Such the children and the women prepare incidents are not frequent, but they

while taking good care that the man | "I recall one in which the paidoned himself is enabled to do his part of man complied with the conditions but the work in a most efficient manner. In a novel manner. His family, con-The modern thought, therefore, about sisting of his wife and daughter, were the education of women is to Dring compelled by reason of a clause in the into the curriculum enough of that will of the wife's eccentric father to which will bear practically upon remain in the state in which the hus-

"The wife had money. She bought thrown away and to give her at least | a piece of ground which lay across a somewhat adequate preparation for the boundary line of two states and her special work. It is useless to say erected thereon a house, one-half of that this preparation should be se- which stood in one state, one-half in

"In this house the pardoned man practically forbids this. Just as it is and his family lived until the husquite impossible for a man to appren- band's death. I have been assured by tice his son to himself in his own the wife herself that the husband business, because the unions have never crossed the state line. The

"The pardon was issued by Gov. R. -and it must be confessed that we M. Stewart, of Missouri, who, by the are looking at that old-time training way, was a character in his day. He through the rose-tinted glasses with was a native of New York state, and which we always regard the past, after his death his body was brought writes James H. Canfield, LL. D., in back to this state and rests to-day in an unmarked grave.

"The man who was pardoned was

"It may add to the interest of the more difficult to determine how this ise him that she would not have the funeral from the Missouri side of the

Mercatter. An old farmer threescore years and ten one day entered the village, store, and asked for a pound of brimstone. The storekeeper, a rather eccentric character, was wont to charge unreasonable prices for his goods, owing to lack of opposition. After receiving the brimstone the farmer tendered a shilling for payment, and as he received the change remarked that he could get it at half the price at the neighboring market town. The storekeeper glared at his customer for a second, and then replied: "Yes, Ind so that might, and comeday that I git it

for now't!" - Spare Moments. A Suggestion, Dauber-I wish there was some way of making my paintings more popular

with art lovers. Cutting-You might leave off your signature .- Boston Transcript,

WHAT THEY REMEMPER.

Children with Few Advantages Rave Good Memorian for Things That Are Easily Fergotten.

"It's dreadful," complained laughingly a young girl who had been at the head of a club of little girls in employed to decipher them. Each of one of the college settlements, "the ony those children remember things! keeps, up a wholesome rivalry with Everything I do-everything I saythe dead letter office at Washington, everything I show them-I'm likely so that few badly addressed letters to be reminded of a year after, and are given up as impossible. Mr. Ewan expected to remember with equal McPherson, writing in the Boston clearness, and explain or expand of Herald, gives examples of some of the expound at their request. I can't ulways do it, you know; and then they're so surprised and disappointed. I'm not blessed with such a memory as that; I only wish I were."

She is far from being the only per son to observe what may be called the advantage of the children with few advantages, says Youth's Companion. Their minds never being overcrowded with matters of interest. they absorb, retain, remember vividly and discuss keenly all such as come their way to a degree that is astonishing and often touching

Months after one child had been shown an album filled with foreign photographs at the home of her club leader, the same album was brought to the meeting-place with the intention to show it to the entire club. Con," for "Naugatuck, Connecticut." | she could only speak in a hourse whis-

> to the rescue, and volunteered to explain the pictures as well as she remembered them, to be corrected if she were wrong. She went through the whole volume without an omission or correction, anecdotes, explanations and ill. to the delight of her companions and the greater delight and pride of her traveled friend.

> Manners, fortunately, are no less noted and discussed than are points of more definite instruction. The mother of one child, a shabby old Irish washerwoman with a soft brogue and a softer heart, once visited her daughter's sewing club. The young leader rose to receive her and remained standing, since her guest would not be scated, during the few minutes of her call.

> Long afterward one of the other children reminded her of this forgotten triffe, asking, with deep carnest-"Was it because you were fired sit

ling so long, or to be polite?" "To be polite, of course "

"Nould you get up if my mother came? She's older than Mis. Flynn." "Of course I would."

The child paused and then said, anxiously:

"She was in jail once."

"I'm very, very sorry," said the young lady, pleasantly. "But that isn't any reason I should have bad manners, is it?"

"We didn't any of us know, and we've been contradicting about it au-

They soon did know: for the poor mother, who had once disgraced herself through drink in a time of frenzied trouble, came and was given a welcome that was balm to her selfrespect, and a lesson without words to a score of eager little womenfolk -arbiters to be of manners in their small world, as much as the most exquisite of fine ladies are in theirs.

THE WINE OF SHERAIZA.

Persians in the Country of Oman Who Offend the Arabs by Wine Bibbing and Manufacture.

The vineyards at Sheraizi are very extensive, and are regularly irrigated and manured. The vines are trained on rough trellises at certain distances, and produce both varieties of fruit, white and black. The gropes, which ripen here in August, were hanging in goodly bunches, and it did not seem to me that the people had any reason to complain of the crop, but they grumbled a good deal, says the Geographical Journal. Although much of the fruit may be eaten, and a portion made into raisins, there can be no doubt that the bulk of the crop is intended for the manufacture of wine of an inferior kind, which is entirely reserved, I believe, for home consumption. I did not, of course, witness the process, as it was too early in the season, and I had no opportunity of tasting the vintage. but I should imagine it, from the description I heard of the method employed, to be far from satisfactory. After crushing the grapes and mixing juice, skins, etc., they leave the liquid for about three weeks to ferment. The wine thus made is considered fit to drinkin about three months after the fruit has been plucked. The wine thus made is consumed in the long winter evenings by the Shernizi men, whose wine-bibbing propensities are notorious and reprobated throughout Oman. The Arabs of the interior, being a temperate and abstemious race, regard the dalito their religion, and do not permit the production of spirituons liquor in any other part of the country, so far as I am aware, A Boat Priesd.

Miss Rougenoir-So he eath he didn't like my cychrows, ch? Miss Kraft-Yes, he said they were too dark.

"The idea!" "Yes, but I told him they weren't as black as they were painted;"-Phi'sdelphia Press.

The Unfortunate Man. Fortunate is the man who thinks be out to be a good cook furtead.—Chicago Dally News.

KISSING GORS OUT OF FAVOR.

Women No Lönger Greet Each Other with an Occulatory Demonstration in Public Meetings.

The kiss is going out of favor. It is, perhaps, as popular as ever between the series, but not between members of the same sex. A few years ag : when two women on terms of friendship met they invariably saluted each them know the dish, which is an old other with a kiss. Now they simply shake hands, as men do, and are apparently just as well satisfied, reports in water over night, with a kind of a Chicago, exchange.

Chicago, where everybody seemed to the peas until tender with a little salt be related to everybody else, before and any desired flavor, a bit of lemon the morning service on Sundays a reg- peel, garlie thyme, or a little of all ular osculatory meeting was held in three. Drain and rub them through the vestibule, even the rector being a colander. When smooth, add two sometimes involved, though, of course, jounces of butter, a dash of pepper and without scandal, for nothing less than two eggs well beaten. Flour a pudsecond cousins were expected to sa- ding cloth or steamer, turn in the lute him. After service adieus were sudding and boil for an hour. Finely said in the same warm fashion, and shopped bacon may be added to the then the flower of the countryside pudding if desired. As bacon and split drove away well pleased with itself, peas may be kept on hand, this pud-

scious youths writhed out of the geneies arise, says the Kansas City grasp of those who would caress them Star. and managed to elude their pursuers, but generally everybody submitted made with either dried hims beans or with the best grace he could muster peas. Scak until they are very soft, to a ceremony that was plainly per- and boil in salted water until tender, functory, but done in the best inter | but not mushy Drain and cool est of the community. A little later than this the cheek be juice of an onion and add one or two

stead of the mouth.

apparent, was an expedient intended | pinch of dried thyme gives a delicious to let one's friends and relatives down lavor. Serve with a French or a sour easy before ceasing to kiss them alto- cream dressing gether, for it was shortly after this now more than popular. One rarely made as follows: sees a warmer greeting between two gets herself.

indulges in some show of tenderness tookery is lack of flavor. If you have when people are about, but she quick- | tham bone or a chicken bone to put in, ly checks it as she remembers that she may have an audience.

of the hand express as much affection of milk, a bit of butter and a dash of and sincerity as a kiss? Perhaps it black pepper and it is ready to serve. may. Perhaps it expresses more. At all events, femininity seems to think cubbing a large bake dish with a clove it the most fitting greeting at this pe- of garble. Turn into this a pint of split riod of the world's history.

NOVEL USE FOR A PAWNSHOP.

Visitor in the City Leaves IIIs Overcoat with the Broker for Ecouomy and Security.

"Human ingenuity has no metes and bounds," says a visitor from Pitts- add a little boiling water if the pear burg, recently reports the New York Tribune, "and to say there is nothing great improvement on baked beans new under the sun is to challenge cris- As split peas are sold as low as four icism, for there always is, if only it cents a quart, these dishes will be be that particular day upon which the found very economical, with potutoes sun is shining. I recently struck a at eight cents. brand new thing. I came into town with a friend, who was wearing a magnificent fur coat. In the country the morning had been cold, but in town it was warmer, and the coat became uncomfortable. A short distance from the station he went into a pawnbroker's, and, taking off his cont, asked 'Isaac' if he would lend him one dollar on it. The proprietor examined it suspiciously, and then gave an eager affirmative. He took the coat, my friend the ticket, and they parted, with seemingly mutual setisfaction. I did not like to ask questions, and, as he made no explanations. I remained: in the dark until after noon, when I ran into my friend on my way to the train. He was without his coat, but when we reached the pawnbroker's he drew me into the shop again. Then he produced his ticket and laid it down. together with \$1.03, the three cents being for one month's interest on the one dollar borrowed in the morning. Once on the street. I insisted on an explanation of this extraordinary ma-

"Oh, it's very simple," he made reply. 'If I'd checked it anywhere else I'd have had to pay ten cents or a quarter, and, besides, I wouldn't have been sure of it being properly cared for, or that some one in the coatroom would not take a chance to 'lift' it because of its value. Now, the pawnbroker is a perfectly reputable person, and I therefore knew I would get would take a proper care of it. Just see how beautifully he has brushed it, and, finally, it only cost me three cents.

"I said nothing, for I was lost in water with the whole mass of pulp, derstood the reason why he was more successful than his fellow men in

business." Price of Blackwell's laland, The price of Blackwell's / Island, when it was purchased by New York city, was not seven pieces of wampun, 120 pounds of tobseco, or two stacks of firearms; the price of Manhattan Island, but \$50,000, paid to Robert Blackwell, the owner, who had very midst by these Persians as a scan- Capt. Manning, who, in 1673, surren a happy thought that produced most Jelly, jelly, felly, fel constant manufacture of wine in their married the daughter of the English soft that occupied space there, bad When the English resumed control: Manning retired to Blackwell's Island, then known as Hog. Island, and after his death it became the property of his daughter and son-in-law. It was sold in 1838 to New York city. and for nearly three-quarters of century since has been in use for various, correctional and charitable institutions.-Detroit Free Press.

Cuttledsh on Germany's Court. A large number of cuttlefish have recently been caught of the north const of Germany. An they have never before been met with in these waters has married an angel if she only turns it is difficult to associat for this

THE TIME FOR SPLIT PEAS.

Dishes of Them That Are Searly as Nourishing as Meat and Are Not se Expensive.

Peas pudding hot, peas pudding cold, Peas pudding in the pot nine days old. This rhyme, accompanied by a slapping of hands, is a familiar game to most young Americans, but few of English one. This is the recipe:

Put a pint and a half of split peas rarbonate of soda. Before boiling re-At a country church not far from move any of the peas that float. Boil Sometimes small boys and self-con- ling makes a good dinner when emer-

An excellent winter salad may be Equeeze over the beans or peas the gan to be offered for the salute in bits from a can of tomatoes, which may be emptied and saved for another Turning the cheek, it now becomes occasion. When tomato is used a

A delicious dish sold in vegetarian that the masculine grasp of the hand restaurants, usually under the name came into vogue. Such grasp seems of cutlets or vegetarian beefsteak, is

This is really a hearty meal in itself. feminines in public, but it seems suf- | Souk a quart of split peas over night ficient to express a rare degree of cor-| in a large kettle. Pour off the water diality. The bachelor girl would scorn and rinse; cover with three pints of anything more enthusiastic, of course, water and put on the fire, with a spoonand her mother almost as rarely for- ful each of salt and sugar and two cloves of garlie. Don't omit the gar-Occasionally a white-haired old lady lic. Remember, the bane of American so much the better. Let the soup simmer for several hours on the back of After all, why may not a warm clasp the stove. Then add one or two cups

A delicious basket dish is made by pear sonked until soft. Chop a large onion very fine and spread over the top of the peas with pepper and salt. If you have left over gravy or stock pour it over the mixture. If not, cover with water, spreading over all bacon cut into the thinnest possible slices. Bake in the oven for two hours and get too dry. This will be found a

WHY PA WAS MAD.

Under the Circumstances It Would Have Been Mard to Preserve One's Good Nature.

At the Schley banquet on a recent evening Rev. R. A. White, one of the speakers, told the tollowing story, says

the Chicago Tribune: An old farmer walking down a country road one morning came to a spot where a huge load of hay had slid off the tack to the ground. A small boy, perhaps 12 years old, was working hard with a pitchfork, trying to pitch the hay back on the wagon. The farmer felt sorry for the poor little chap, and, as it was nearly noon, asked him to come and have dinner and take

a little rest. "Come over to the house with me, sonny," he said, "and have some dinner. You'll feel more like working then." "Well," said the boy, "I am tired and hungry, and I'd like some dinner very much, but pa would be angry with me

if I went. He wouldn't like it a bit." But the farmer was persistent. Finally he persuaded the boy to leave his work and come with him, the boy expressing the fear as he left that "Pa'll be awful mad."

They had a good country dinner, and the small boy displayed the best kind of an appetite. After dinner they lay down for half an hour in the shade of it back safe, and sound. I also knew he | the big oaks. Finally the farmer escorted the boy back to the spot where the overturned load of hay lay in the highway. The poy picked up his pitchfork with a sigh.

"I feel a lot better," he said. "That dinner was great, but I tell you pa'll be awful mad at me for quitting work."

"What's the matter with your pa. anyhow?" asked the old farmer. Where is he?" "Who, pa?" answered the small boy.

"Oh, pa's under the hay."

An Improvined Couch, A girl who sighed for a luxurious divan in her room, and frowned dis- to the chorus of "Coon, coon, coon, contentedly at the straight-backed which she had lately learned: satisfactory results she simply had the back of the sofa taken off completely. This done, the rest was easy. Over it she threw a couchcover long enough to reach the floor. spiking it in place with hat pins, and with pillows piled upon it her heretofore honeless piece became a genuine delight,... Detroit Free Press.

Force of Habit. "Doesn't it seem much stranger than driving a horse?" inquired the girl she had out to ride. "Yes," admitted the girl

owned the automobile and was running it. "I haven't yet gotten over the feeling that I ought to push un the lines!"-Brooklyn Engle.

FOR THE CHILDREN

Proud of Mis Se The passengers on an guthamad Herrand square car in Boston regently saw the beginning of a career, cays The American Boy.

A little boy eat in one corner, his face time with the expression of an ocenpied and happy mind. He was tidy and well behaved, but had the habit of busy little boys of squirming his legs together, sitting in an unstable position: #45

So intent was he with his joy that he was startled when the condition to died him on the kneer but he turned a pocket wrong:side out and shook forth his pickel sfrom time to time he grinned as he sat watching comething, hidden beside his leg and in his hand, then he would shove both hands into the slits of his coat front and pulling them out empty? would chuckle quietly to himself, gazing far out the window past the motorman.

Once he opened his overcoat button by button, then deliberately unfastened his little coat and brought out from away down somewhere in a secret pocket a neat, clean envelope which seemed to bear a newspaper trademark. The little box did not take out its contents, but, pecking in from time to time to prompt himself, whispered its message. Then he put the paper back deep down somewhere in an inner pocket, enrefully buttoned it over, and from his front pocket slipped out something that gave a gleam of bright nickel. He covered it in his mittens to all but himself and sat there smuggling pleasure right before the curious passengers.

At last, after patient watching, we caught his secret-a pewsboy's badge, new and shiny.

A Enoving Dog.

Sir Walter Scott tells of one of his dogs that one day furiously attacked the baker and was with great difficulty called off. But as the dog observed the baker coming every day to leave bread for the family he began to regard him in a more favorable light, and in time the dog and the baker became great friends. One day Sir Walter was telling somebody how the dog had attacked the baker, and as soon as he began the story the dog skulked into the corner of the room, turned his face to the wall, hung down his ears and lowered his tall and displayed every sign of being hearfily ashamed of himself. But when he came to the end of his story and said, "But, Trup didn't bite the onker." the dog turned around. Jumped and falsked about and was evidently mite restored to his own good opinion. to try the dog Scott repeated the story n a different tone of voice in the midst ven of the conversation, but it was alvals the same. Directly he began the og crept into the corner, but when he ame to "But Tray didn't bite the bakr" he always capered back in tri-

Prince and Pearl.

n the very same year, on the very same One was a doggle, and one was a girl; One was named Prince, and one was nam

ed Pearl. All on a New Year's morn

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and in one cradle the babies slept. All through the midwinter weather Ine on her pillow, dimpled and sweet, and one curied up at the darling's feet-Prince and Pearl together.

but Prince grew fat, as doggies will, Till he was large and strong, With a coal black coat that was curly And he learned to know right from

and Prince would sit by baby Pearl. Rocking her, while she slept, lently lightly, to and fro. and the mother was free to come and go For Prince a true watch kept.

and he'd bear careepes from baby hands, With never so much as a wince. and Pearl on his back was secure from

for he'd carry her safely all over the farm. Darling, trusty old Prince.

More Cully. To little lack a gentleman friend of Is was known as "Cully." When once his gentleman's twin brother came to visit him. Jack was called over, and hey tried to puzzle him about the men, the bore a very cl se resemblance to

ach other. They pointed to Cully and "Who is that, Jack?" and he anwered:

"That's Cully." "And who's that?" pointing to Culv's Lrother. Jack hesitated, and then a queer lit-

tle smile lit up his face as he answered:

"Why, that's more Eully." She Liked Jolly. dne day u little girl three years old. whose mother was busy putting up jolly, asked her mother for a piece of brend and jelly, but as it was nearly Apper time her maining said she had better wait. Helen didn't like this, so she went out on the porch and sang

Jelly, jelly, for morning, night or

I'd rather have some delly then a seen. com, com It Was William Word. A trucher had anothe by separate to pre-

paring his spelling lesson was wicked enough to study only the words that One day one of the boys of the class wing along the delinar was not aware of this until he came into the clean The spelling then was done arally and a strauge word was given to Johnly. "Please teering" in in it."
my-word: that's Wille Been

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Washington, Feb. 27.-Forecast for New England: Rain Friday, rising temperature; Saturday rain, increasing southeast winds on the coast.

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displayed at the markets one might thing that spring is almost here. Too late to cure a cold after consumption has fastened its deadly grip

on the lungs. Take Dr. Wood's Nor-

way Pine Syrup while yet there is The junior class of the Portsmouth

Friday evening, Feb. 28. The next meeting of the New Hampshire State Federation of Women's clubs will be held in Dover. This will be good news to the Portsmouth

Thomas Hughes, of the Hughes family, singing and dancing comedians with the P. A. C. minstreis will be seen in his famous song and dance "Tea Roses."

celebrated 'cello soloist, is to be one is a heavy burden. of the attractions.

and permanent in its results. At any drug store, 50 cents.

The regular meeting of the Wombe held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms this and literary circles Friday afternoon at three o'clock. The Rockingham county convention meets at Smithtown on Thursday, March 6th, and the full programme will appear later. One of the sepakers is to be Chief Templar Charles T. Wiggin Lager, Porter, Refined Cider, Cream of this city who will give an address on "No Compromise."

FROM EDWARD TUCK.

J. Warren Towle has received the Edward Tuck of Paris:

30th ult., enclosing a copy of corres-ble, to Miss Nellie C. Sherman; secnondence between yourself and the ond, a handsome picture to Mra Su-Rockingham county commissioners relative to the presentation of a portrait of my father to be hung in the court house at Exeter

sions regarding my father and for all Harry F. Moulton. The next party will the trouble you have taken in this be held on Thursday evening, March matter, from purely public-spirited 6. motives. I shall hope, on my next visit to Excter, to visit the court house with you and inspect the interesting portraits which you have succceded in bringing together in so appropriate a piace.

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WROTE "GOO-GOO EYES."

Minstrel John Queen is the latest among the burnt cork artists to die, his demise occurring in New York a few days ago. Queen will be remembered by the Portsmouth theatrepoers as having apeared in this city with public library. Vogel and Deming's minstrels. Queen was the author of the song, "Just Because the Made the Goo-Goo Eyen,"

A . . RTSMOUT .1 WOMAN.

Creates Expitement in Haverbill, Mass., by Saying She Was Dying.

Haverhill, Mass., Feb. 28.-Mrs. Milton Brewster, aged twenty-two, of Portsmouth, N. H., who is visiting friends in this city, created a sensation at White's corner yesterday forenoon by going into a drug store and saying she had taken a dose of laudanum. She later denied this

About 11 o'clock she accosted a clerk in Hunking & Christie's store, Walter S. Philbrick of Rye beach, is told him that she was dying and ill with the measles. asked for some water. The clerk realized that she had taken something and asked her what it was. She told him that it was laudanum and that she had taken it because of trouble she had had with a friend.

He at once called physicians, who examined the wonman and at once gave her strychnia to revive her. This had the desired effect, as the dose she had taken was small, and in a few moments she had sufficiently recov. passengers on the steamship St. Paul, ered to walk home with one of the which arrived last week at New York. clerks in the store

boarding house at the corner of Water stay with her sister, Mrs. Frances Orstreet and Pearl court. There a re- cutt. porter learned she had taken laudanum before. Some two years ago it was said that she was compelled to undergo a severe operation, from the effects of which she had never fully recovered. Since then she has used opiates to force sleep Recently she has not been well and has had bad melancholia, and this is believed to be the cause of her taking more of Work is progressing rapidly on the the laudanum than usual.

The woman is the daughter of Mrs. Chadborne, a well known cook. Her There will be a large attendance at hus and lives at Portsmouth.

Dut very little is known of the woman here The city directory gives | day afternoon. Pimples, blotches and other spring troubles are cured by Hood's Sarsapatho name of Milton L. Brewster, rilla—the most effective of all spring whose occupation is registered at 3 Haven court, with his home at 261/2

LOST POWER OF SPEECH.

One of Exeter's Debaters Suffers Serious Result of Measles.

Exeter, Feb. 27.—The prevalence of neasles which has been so marked among Phillips Exeter and public school students is now having its aftermath in resulting complications.

is that of Robert W. Belcher of Newark Valley, N. Y., a Phillips Exeter senior, who attack of measles was followed by a severe cold which has bereft him of his power f speech. Physicians are still in doubts if it can ever be regained.

Belcher is a member of the debating team which is to compete against The Graffort club of this city is to the Harvard freshmen Saturday evengive a musicale in Pierce hall on ing, and, moreover, is the class day March 30th. Mr Leon Vlict, one orator so that his present affliction

By a peculiar chance, Scald head is an exzema of the roommate, James J. Mullowney, '03, scalp-very severe sometimes, but it of Seacombe, Eng., is also suffering can be cured. Doan's Olnement, quick from an affection of his vocal chords. Mullowney is one of the best long distance runners on the track team, and an's Christian Temperance union will is prominent in the school religious

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> > WON PRIZES.

Young Men's Whist Club Holds Well Attended Session.

The regular weekly session of the Young Men's Whist club was held at Conservatory hall on Thursday evenfollowing self-explanatory letter from ing, ten tables being occupied. At the conclusion of play prizes were award-"I thank you for your letter of the ed as tollows: Ladies' first, a card tasie Paul; third, silver pepper and salt holder, to Miss Manson; gent's first, a parlor lamp, to Charles G. Fernald: second, a mantle clock, to A. W. War-"I thank you for your kind expres- rep; third, a pack of playing cards, to

FINED \$100 AND COSTS.

Portland & Portsmouth Express Empolyes Again in Court,

Portland, Me., Feb. 28.-John H. Russell and Edward A. Conley, manager and clerk respectively for the thanks for the gift and their flattering | Portland & Portsmouth express comreference to my father among New pany, yesterday were found guilty on Hampshire's most distinguished a search and seizure charge and fined \$100 and costs. They appealed and furnished bonds for their appearance in the superior court

VALUABLE MAPS RECEIVED.

Valuable and elaborate maps and surveys of our river and harbor have been sent by the state department to the public library through the offices of Congressman C. A. Sullowny. They may be consulted at any time at the

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PERSONALS.

Arthur L. Tisdate of Boston was in the city today. Elroy Cottle of Kittery is confined

to his home by illness.

Mr. J. Chaplin Carr, formerly of this city, is visiting here.

John P. Hultman of Deerfield was in the city today on business. Fred George returned today from a

two weeks' fishing trip to Bear Lake. Byron, the little son of Mr. and Mrs.

Conductor Fred Webber of the local electric road is confined to the house How the La Rue Stakes Were Lost, by an attack of measles. Miss Lou Hunter, who has been the

guest of friends here, returned to her | For All Eternity, (with violin oblihome in Boston Thursday. Miss Nellie F. Peirce gives a card

social on Satuday afternoon from three to six o'clock at her residence. Jacob Wendell, Jr., was one of the

Mrs. Townsend of Rogers street has The young woman is stopping at a gone to Cambridge for an extended Hon. Horace Mitchell, who has

been confined to his home at Kittery Point by a severe cold, is now improv-Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Bickford of

guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Wentworth Robert Fuller, who has been passng a few days with friends in Kittery,

Boston, formerly of this city are

ter, Mass. Mrs. Amos Pearson entertained the whist club of which she is a member. at her home on Broad street on Tues-

Mrs. I C. Hanscom entertained a whist club of which she is a member at her home on Islington street on be ably represented in the next city Wednesday afternoon. Miss Lina Lyons, who has been the

for several months, has returned to her home in New York. Supt. Henry C. Morrison of the public schools has returned from Oldtown, Me., where he was called by

guest of Mrs. S. A. Hobbs of Kittery

the death of his father. Contractor Rogers, who is employed by the Rockingham Light and Power One of the saddest cases reported | company, has, with Mrs. Rogers, taken

rooms on Hanover street. Miss Alice Hardy, who for some time past has been employed as cook at the Langdon house, has concluded her duties and gone to Salem, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Norris of Lawthis city where they will be joined on | One is in business for himself and the Saturday by their daughter, Miss Bes- other is one of H. C. Hepkins' head

Miss Edith Laighton, Court street, returned Thursday morning frm a six overseer of the poor are both well weeks' visit with the Misses Reed, known and have faithfully served the daughters of Captain Allen V. Reed. U. S. N., retired, in Washington, D.

Stacey G. Moran, who has been confined to his home on Decr street by injuries received from falling off the hose wagon on the night of the Times building fire, is now able to walk out, although unable to resume work yet.

OBITUARY.

Augustus Yeaton Rand. On Thursday the death of Augustus Yeaton Rand occured at his home in Rye, aged sixty-three years, seven months and twenty-two days. The deceased is survived by a wife and two brothers. The funeral will occur at the Congregational church in Rie at 2:30 o'clock on Saturdáy af-

POLICE NEWS.

This afternoon at three o'clock there will be a sesison of police court when John McCarthy, a soldier, will be arraigned for using three o'clock guage and on another case of as-

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The New Hampshire Rivals concert company appeared in Rye town half Thursday evening before a large audience, many of whom went down from this city. The following excellent program was rendered:

PART I. Piano solo, selected, Miss Walker.

Estudi**a**ntina, Miss Bartlett and Mrs. Simpson. l Trovatore, J. B. Singelee, Op 94 Miss Meader.

Se Seran Rose, Mrs. Simpson.

Hood

Miss Boadway.

Miss Bartlett. PART II.

Friendship, Miss Bartlett and Mrs. Simpson. What William Henry Did. Harbour Miss Boadway.

Sleep Little Baby of Mine, Mrs. Simpson. Kulawiak, Wieniawski

Miss Mcader. Autumn Leaves. Arlington Miss Bartlett. Comedictta-Fast Friends,

Laura Latimer, Mrs. Simpson. Mabel Hamilton, Miss Boadway. The Rivals are composed of the following members:

Miss Edna E. Bartlett, soprano; Mrs. Sadie Dickey Simpson, contralto, Miss Julia E. Meader violiniste; Miss Maude M. Boadway, reader; has returned to his home in Worces- Miss Martha B. Walker, planist.

A GOOD TICKET.

If the republicans of Ward Four nominate the ticket advocated at the meeting of the ward committee on Wednesday evening that ward will government. The ticket is a clean one from top to bottom and one worthy of support by every fair minded citizen. Judge Adams, one of the proposed aldermen, is a rising young lawyer who has the entire confidence of the business men. He is the associate police justice and has demonstrated in many ways that he is a valuable man to sit in the aldermanic chamber. Arthur H. Locke, the other aldermanic possibility, is a graduate of Dartmouth college and at present occupics a responsible position as ship draughtsman at the navy vard. He is a young man of exemplary habits and will give a good account of himself. The two councilmen, George Cox and Ralph Hanscom, are both Portsmouthrence, Mass., are visiting triends in born boys and brought up in the ward. clerks. Charles Humphreys slated for assessor and Stephen Goodwin for city in other capacities. As stated above the ticket is all right and Ward Four will make no mistake in trusting these men with the city af-

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J. EDWARD PICKERING NOMINAT-

ED.

The democrats of the city held their mayoralty caucus at the old Court house Thursday from four till eight o'clock p. m. William Cogan officiated as chairman and Timothy Donoran as sccretary. J. Edward Pickering was the only candidate and at eight o'clock when the polls closed it was announced that Mr. Pickering had 415 votes and was declared the democratic nominee for mayor. A committee composed of Joseph Elliott, Villiam Marshall and John Long was appointed to wait on Mr. Pickering and notify him of the nomination. The committee returned with Mr. Pickering in about ten minutes and he thanked those assembled for the honor they had conferred upon him in a short

WARD ONE COMMITTEE MEET-ING.

speech.

The Ward One republican committee met Thursday evening and selected the following ticket to be placed before the caucus this evening:

Aldermen: Frank W. Knight, Thom-

as G. Lester, Fred L. Martin; Councilmen: Harry M. Tucker, E. Playing Cards. C. Hepworth, Edward Manent. R. Clyde Margeson, Willis L. Smith; Assessors: Thomas R. Martin.

James A. N. Rugg, Joseph H. Marden; Overscer of Poor: Joseph Akerman. FATHER DELANEY TO GO SOUTH.

The Rev. John B. Delaney, secretary to Bishop Bradley and chancellor of the diocese of Manchester, contemplates a southern trip.

ter Meets and the

The republican committee of Ward Two met at the County Court house on Thursday evening for the purpose of selecting a ticket to be placed before the citizens of the ward at the caucus to be held his evening. William E. Storer, chairman of the

ward committee, officiated, and Juhn D. Randall acted as secretary. It was voted to use the check list at

the caucus this evening. The following ticket was selected:

Aldermen: Wallace D. Smith, George A. Wood, Charles E. Bailey: Councilmen: I. H. Washburn, Lau ie D. Britton, Henry W. Montgomery, John M. Goodall, S. F. A. Pickering, Daniel A. McIntire;

Assessors of Taxes: Joseph H. Gardiner, Warren P. Webster, Simon R. Marston: Overseer of Poor: Edward Downs.

The above ticket is a worthy one and will no doubt be the choice of the majority at the caucus this e culty. Of the aldermen no doubt Wallace D. Smith is the best known from his many years' connection with the well-known Granite State Fire In surance company in the capacity of bookkeeper. Mr. Smith is a thorough business man and his presence in the city government would prove of great value to the tay paverin straightening out financial difficulties which generally crop out in the course of a municipal year. He is an ex captain in the state militia and president of the Building and Loan association. He has a wide acquaintance among the business men of the

city and his genial nature has won for

him a host of friends.

George A Wood, who resides on Highland street, is chief deputy collector of internal revenue of the district embracing Maine, New Hamp- 1 rices are low-so is the quality of the shire and Vermont, the home office to goods. We say low prices and we which he is assigned being in this tack up the statement with a sood city. He is also secretary of a frater- strong reason. We can make the lest nal accident insurance association Clothing—make it as well as it can be composed of the railway postal clerks | made-at low prices, because our exof the country and numbering over penses are light and we have many seven thousand members, the asso patrons. There is no use throwing ciation being a New Hampshire corpo- money away. There is no use paying ration, with the home office in Ports. | any more for perfection than you mouth. He is president of the Unitari- have to. We will be g ad to see you at an club, and president of, and a heavy any time. stockholder in the Associates Land company, the corporation which purchased the Hayes farm and leased it to the Country club. He is well and favorably known in the community His experience in the responsible positions he holds, and the fact that he has four children in our public schools, brings conviction that, if elected as alderman, he will render valuable zervice to the city.

Charles E. Bailey is a locomotive engineer on the run between this city and Boston and is one of the most Old nopular as well as the most—carefu engineers in the employ of the Boston and Maine system. He is a Portsmouth born boy of the old family of Baileys and is esteemed as a man of careful and conservative judgment.

SURE SIGN OF SPRING.

Spring has come. Not only is there every indication of it in the warm and almost balmy air, the warm sunshine, the signs of budding on the trees, the rapidly melting snow and the promise of green grass, but there is still a more unmistakable sign all over Portsmouth, the small boy is playing marbles. And that "since the time when the mind of man runneth not to the contrary" has always been an indisputable evidence of the coming of spring.

NAVAL ORDERS.

Col. Henry C. Cochrane, U. S. M. C., has been detached from command of the marine barracks at the navy yard and ordered to Philadelphia. Major W. F. Spicer, U. S. M. C., has been ordered here to take his place.

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